BOSTON OPPOSES MONUMENT TO SLAYER

Is it right to kill a person in order to end his suffering? The old, never-dying question has again been raised by a proposal to erect on Boston Common a monument to Elder Gillette, a Florida Shaker, who now is on trial for life because in his mercy he put to death Sister Sadie Marchant, who was in great agony.

Dr. Richard Cabot said: "Who is behind this movement, anyway? I am against the erection of a monument to the person in question, because I am opposed to the practice which is thereby given sanction. I do not believe in shortening the lives of patients by drugs in order to stop their suffering. This practice must be condemned both from a moral and a medical standpoint."

"The religious philosophy which I hold," said Edward F. McSweeney, trustee of the Consumptive Hospital Department of Boston, "calls such an abominable practice murder. The erection of a monument to Egbert Gillette would be the glorification of murder. I am decidedly opposed to any such move."

THE WEATHER.

Rain late to-night or Tuesday. Moderate to brisk south and southwest winds.

Sun rises 7:05 a. m. sets 4:32 p. m.
Moon rises 10:45 p. m.
High tide 3:15 a. m.; 3:45 p. m.

Temperature: Boston 52, New York 44, Jacksonville 50, Chicago 42, Denver 20, San Francisco 54.

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DOCTORS SCOFF AT MONUMENT TO GILLETTE

Leading Boston physicians strenuously oppose erecting on Boston Common a monument to Egbert Gillette, the Shaker who is now in jail in Florida because he practiced the theory of euthanasia and put to death Sadie Marchant, a member of his sect who was hopelessly ill, to end her suffering.

Euthanasia teaches that it is right to put to death quietly a person committed by the agonies of the last stages of incurable disease. Believers in the theory think some drug would be used on the sufferer to sleep forever should he administered by a physician. This is contrary to the theory of medicine, which holds that a doctor should do everything he can to save life but nothing, under any circumstances to end it.

Suggestion from Cincinnati.

Anne S. Hall of Mount Auburn, Cincinnati, has written the AMERICAN:

"When the city of Boston has the longplanned celebration in 1915, every one could mark the onward progress of humanitarianism to greater degree than the unveiling of a statue representing the human-hearted Shaker, Egbert Gillette, who suffered and honor to him that he persistently refused to have a criminal lawyer as defender. He is honored of murder."

She calls attention to the monument in the Public Garden to celebrate the discovery of ether in the Massachusetts General Hospital, and thinks that a monument in honor of Gillette, who is in jail on a murder charge, should be put up on the Common, where local authorities once hanged persons accused of witchcraft. She suggests that the following eulogy should be carved upon the base of the memorial:

EGBERT GILLETTE.
Led us to Higher Humanitarianism.
"Blessed are the Merciful."
He Is Christ-Like Who Is Willing to Give Life for Another.

Bronze to Egbert Gillette
A New Heaven Bends Over a New Earth.

Many Boston physicians were surprised when they heard of the monument proposal, and they differ vehemently with the late Professor Charles Eliot Norton of Harvard, who was an advocate of putting hopeless invalids to painless death.

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"In the first place," she said, "we don't need any more monuments on the Common. There, too, it is not advisable to instil in to the minds of the public the principles for which Gillette stands. We have always believed that it was crim-

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BLACKMAILERS' BOMB PUTS 200 IN PANIC

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—Two tenement persons in the six-story building at No. 202 Henry street were thrown into a panic early to-day by the explosion of a bomb on the fourth door in front of the door of the apartments occupied by Louis Blumenthal. Nobody was injured in the rush of frightened tenants into the street, but heavy damage was caused by the bomb. Blumenthal told the police he had received several letters demanding $500. He said that he has been threatened with death in the letters and over the telephone if he did not comply with the demands of the blackmailers.

MUNICIPAL SALOON PLANNED IN IDAHO

COEUR D'ALENE, Idaho, Dec. 11.—The entire populace is excitedly discussing the proposal of John T. Wood, the Socialist Mayor, to open and maintain a municipal saloon. Four Socialist Councilmen favor the plan. Mayor Wood plans to lease a building at $200 a month, hire a manager at $2,000 a year, two cashiers at $85 a month each, as many bartenders as necessary at $100 a month each, a house policeman at $85 a month and two janitors at $75. The county recently voted "wet."

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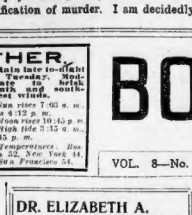

DR. ELIZABETH A. RILEY.
SURGY PHOTO.

Dr. Riley is strong in her condemnation of the principle of putting persons to death to relieve suffering.

POLICE ACT AT NEW BEDFORD

NEW BEDFORD, Dec. 11.—The first arrests in the vote-buying investigation, four in number, will be made tomorrow, it was declared to-day. These arrests will be of alleged vote sellers. The next move of David J. Wade and Inspectors Fred Fiske and Joseph Daly, who are investigating the alleged vote buying for the State, will be to get after the "men higher up."

The city rescinded to-day with the sensational sermon delivered by the Rev. Frank E. Randell, pastor of the North Congregational Church, known as the "politican parson" of New Bedford, in which he reviewed the vote-buying situation during the last twenty years, flaying the men responsible for this condition without mercy. He said:

"Political Degenerates."

"We have in our midst an army of political degenerates educated to expect the high dollar for votes at every election. The estimates of the size of the army vary from 1,500 to 4,500, the number increasing in proportion to the experience and the knowledge of the practical politicians making the estimate.

"It is generally conceded that these men hold the balance of power and determine elections. We have no elections in New Bedford. They are commercial transactions, pure and simple. The honest voters exercise their independent choice, but senile voters determine the issue.

"There are no politicians in New Bedford. We have political drovers and cowboys who round up these bman cattle at $5 per head. Even the candidates are victims of this mob.

"A well-known politician has often complained that he has to buy his own men. Did he fail to do so, they would turn on him like a pack of wolves.

Honesty Is Unknown.

"My own conviction has grown out of information gleaned from ministers, lawyers, business men, laboring men, candidates, organizers and vote-sellers, regarding the party, and my conviction is that there hasn't been an honest municipal campaign or election in the past eight years.

"Has this investigation any promise of results? Yes, in many ways. First it is going to convince these political crooks that where the city they have so outrageously abused stands the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. The State owes it to the citizens at large to jail those men who have blighted the civic life of this municipality.

Hope for Better City.

"The jail sentence for some of these men assailed Americans, who have done their best to destroy the most sacred American institution. We do not care when the blow falls. The higher the man the greater his crime and responsibilities.

"If we are assured that the evidence is sufficient and arrests are bound to come. Let us hope that it will mean a better city."

GERMAN RECIPROCITY FAVORED BY SUTRO

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—In a statement to the AMERICAN Theodore Sutro, distinguished authority on economic questions, lawyer, publicist and president of the German-American Alliance, heartily indorses the suggestion of William Randolph Hearst that a commercial reciprocity agreement be negotiated between Germany and the United States.

Mr. Sutro points to the close relations of friendship already existing between the two nations, and hopes that these may be strengthened and made more lasting through a common understanding on trade matters under which both will profit.

WILLIAM S. DOGGETT DEAD.

CLINTON, Dec. 11.—William Sedley Doggett, seventy-one, is dead at his residence on Walnut street. He was for years one of Clinton's foremost dry goods merchants, retiring fifteen years ago.

KILLED BY TRAIN AT DORCHESTER IN VIEW OF 200

Within view of two hundred men and women who were waiting for a train, Alton Williams, seventeen years old, was instantly killed by an express train in front of the Dorchester station of the New Haven railroad to-day. He was crossing the tracks in an effort to catch an inward bound train when an outward bound train rounded a curve and struck him. He was thrown against a fence and his body dragged fifty feet along the tracks.

Williams lived with his aunt, Mrs. Addie Burns, No. 32 Parlender street, Dorchester. His mother, Mrs. Jennie Williams, is housekeeper at the Adams House.

Failed to See Express.

The Burns home is within 300 feet of the station. Williams had been in the habit of crossing the tracks when he was late mornings, instead of making a wide detour which has to be made by residents of Laurist avenue.

The 7.57 o'clock train was coming into the station when he ran up the embankment and tried to round the fence to reach the smoking car which was on the head end of the train. He was just crossing the tracks when the express, which he evidently had not seen at all, struck him.

His aunt, Mrs. Burns, was in the habit of standing on the back porch of her home to wave to the young man. She was her favorite nephew. She was on the veranda to-day but she did not actually witness the accident. She saw a crowd collect and when a neighbor later told her that her nephew had been killed, she collapsed. She is under the care of a physician.

Two Killed in Two Months.

Williams was employed in the Summer street store of Cobb, Bates & Yerkes. He was popular in the section of Dorchester where he lived and was a member of the Warren A. A.

Owing to the fact that Laurist avenue residents have to make a wide detour to get to inward-bound trains there has been a number of fatal accidents at the station. Scores of men and women daily cross the tracks instead of following the roadway. Only two months ago a young woman was killed at the station while crossing the tracks at about the place Williams was run down.

20 HURT, 1 DEAD IN NEW YORK CRASH

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—Twenty persons were hurt, six seriously, and one man was killed to-day when the Paulding express on the Harlem division of the New York Central met in head-on collision with a freight train. The express, bound for New York and carrying about five cars crowded with commuters, was making its way through a heavy fog near North White Plains when the crash came.

Passengers were thrown from their seats and some who were standing on the platforms preparatory to leaving the train at White Plains were hurled to the ground way. The injured were aided in stores and houses in White Plains while another passenger calls sent to the scene. The conductor and brakemen. The fireman of the express train, which was known as the Paulding express, was instantly killed while in an hour after the accident.

HENRY BERG, AGE 12, WANTED IN NEWTON

Thought to have been overcome by a desire to see the wild west, little Harry Berg, twelve years of age, of Nevada street, Newton, left his home yesterday morning and no word has been received from him since. The little fellow has been a patron of the moving picture houses for the past few weeks and has often expressed a desire of becoming a cowboy. When he left home he had a few dollars with him which he has been saving for Christmas presents.

LAST RITES FOR JOHN E. CASSIDY

The funeral of John E. Cassidy, a well-known Boston business man, was held from the home on Jackson road, Newton, to-day. A solemn high mass was celebrated at the Church of our Lady by the Rev. Michael Scanlan, assisted by the Rev. P. J. Kelley as deacon and the Rev. A. M. Matoon as subdeacon. The pallbearers were John Donahue, Owen Donahue, Charles Donahue, Dr. T. F. Carroll, Charles Thornton and William Thornton. The interment was in St. Patrick's Cemetery, Waltham.

REFUSE TO RETIRE AT PORTSMOUTH

Police Officers George B. Robinson and William H. Seymour, who have served 32 toon years, refuse to retire as patrolmen and to comply with the order of the Police Board retiring men at the age of sixty-five. The officers say there is nothing in the police bill as it passed the Legislature compelling them to retire, and that the Police Board has no right to make such a ruling.

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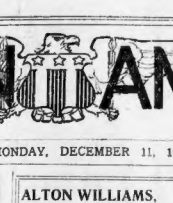

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CARD SCANDAL SPLITS NEWPORT COUNTY CLUB

NEWPORT, Dec. 11.—All Newport, men and women alike, were stirred by the news to-day that as a result of a crooked game of poker at the Newport Country Club, which includes some of the most prominent business men of the city in its list of members, a demand has been made for the governors of the club that the organization be disbanded at once.

Much excitement prevailed in the club, which one member drew a pistol and pointed out the alleged "crooked" players, and the fine paintings of crookedness through talk among the wives of players in the poker game are the sensational features developed in this affair.

Cheating Brings Climax.

Ex-Mayor William B. Clarke, a member of the Board of Governors, declared today:

"I have demanded that the club be broken up at once. Gambling was carried on at the club against the wishes of the Board of Governors. We had protested repeatedly against gambling, but without effect. This matter of cheating brought the climax. I have never joined any club, nor have the other members of the Board of Governors. It was against our wishes that the first building of the club had merged into playing of poker for money."

The other members of the Board of Governors are Henry Hilton, Herman Weiner. The membership of the club includes men in every walk of business life. There are merchants, printers and men who form the year-round business life of the city.

Two Wives Tell Tales.

The first intimation of alleged "crooked" playing at the club came when a wife of one of the men who is said to have been a heavy winner said to the wife of a member who had been a steady loser: "Why husband has found a way to pick up a lot of easy money." She intimated that it was all in poker and at a club.

The wife of the loser in the poker game promptly told her husband of this remark. He got after and consulted on the matter of poker. This man told him to look for a "cold" deck or a pack of marked cards.

That night when the loser sat in the game he watched for a "cold" deck. It was not many hands before he discovered a marked card. He slipped it into his lap and said there was a mis-deal. When the cards were re-dealt he showed the marked card. One of the members leaped to his feet and drew a pistol, according to one of the players. He pointed to a man at the table and demanded that he give back money that had been won or get out of town. The man who held the revolver was pleaded with not to shoot but he did.

One of the members of the club acknowledged that he had "dropped" $1,000 in the game. The effort to break up the poker scandal reached fair board of governors with the result that they have now demanded the immediate closing of the clubroom.

The County Club has no president, but was governed by the board of three members. Its by-laws said that there should be no gambling in the clubroom.

Members of the club said they regretted that the affair should break up in disgrace. They had hoped that the poker incident might be kept from the public when the disbanded quietly.

MANCHESTER GIRL RUNS AWAY AGAIN

MANCHESTER, N. H., Dec. 11.—Aurora Giguere of No. 15 Notre Dame avenue, fifteen years old, who was intercepted on a passenger train bound for Boston several weeks ago and brought to her home, returned to her home again yesterday after a second unsuccessful attempt to run away. She was rescued by a motorman on train yesterday afternoon, and on being questioned by the conductor, said she was on her way to Montreal, but had lost her ticket. To the police of Concord she said he phone was in Suncook. She was sent to Suncook, where she was found sobbing aimlessly about this morning. She then gave her correct address and was brought to her home in Manchester.

CHRISTEN PAPOOSE WITH NIAGARA SPRAY

NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y., Dec. 11.—His face turned toward the setting sun, that is his God, Chief Ogheena Niagara, spoke three words and a name and was forever be heard here for the Pagan faith of the Indians. Then the Chief of the Cayugas side, after the christening of his granddaughter, Princess Kaw-Pay-Qua (Morning Beauty), daughter of Louis Kosoha and Emily Palmer of Sixteen, the child's christening took place in the Cave of the Winds, under the Horseshoe Falls. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. G. S. G. Hayes of St. Peter's Church. The chief who adopted the infant of eleven months with spray from the cataract.

THOMAS BRIDE HURT BY SKIDDING AUTO

Thomas Bride, No. 7 Armstrong street, Jamaica Plain, was struck to-day by an automobile driven by C. T. Adams of Wellesley Hills when the automobile skidded on the slippery pavement at the corner of Massachusetts avenue and Boylston street. Bride was taken to the City Hospital suffering from numerous cuts.

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The former Cambridge pastor will go to trial on January 15, unless a continuance is granted, on the charge of murdering Miss Linnell, his former fiancee.

FALL BEHIND IN SIX-DAY RACE

ELEVEN O'CLOCK SCORE.

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Kramer and Moran	247	4
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Root and Hill	247	4
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J. Bedell and M. Bedell	247	4
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Cameron and Magin	247	4
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Georget and Brocco	247	4
Caplze and Vanhouwaert	247	4
Galvin and Wiley	247	3
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MADISON SQUARE GARDEN, New York, Dec. 11.—After smashing all records during the first six hours of the six-day bicycle race, which started at 10 o'clock, the world's greatest racers, settled down to a slow grind to-day. As a result they soon dropped behind former marks.

In the eleventh hour Jack Clarke started a mad sprint and took turns in hitting up the pace with Root and Morgn. Two teams were lapped and the sprint ended in a spill, Lorenz falling and bringing down one of the Bedell brothers. The eleven o'clock standing was:

Kramer and Moran, 247 miles, 4 laps; Fogler and Clark, 247 miles, 4 laps; Root and Hill, 247 miles, 4 laps; Halstead and Drobach, 247 miles, 4 laps; J. and M. Bedell, 247 miles, 4 laps; Pye and Collins, 247 miles, 4 laps; Cameron and Magin, 247 miles, 4 laps; Demara and Lawrence, 247 miles, 4 laps; Thomas and Stein, 247 miles, 4 laps; Palmer and Wells, 247 miles, 4 laps; Lorenz and Saldow, 247 miles, 4 laps; L. Georget and Brocco, 247 miles, 4 laps; Lapize and Van Houwaert, 247 miles, 4 laps; Galvin and Wiley, 247 miles, 3 laps; Ryan and Cavanagh, 247 miles, 3 laps.

The record is 251 miles and 1 lap by Georget and Puchois, made in 1910.

Terrific riding followed the start of the race at midnight and dozens of times the big audience that greeted the endurance men was brought to its feet by thrilling spurts. Much was looked for from Kramer of the "champion" team, but throughout the early hours he hung back, always in striking distance of the leader, but apparently reserving his strength for the terrible ordeal to come.

Complaint was made by many of the riders of the condition of the Fourth avenue side of the track. Early in the race thirty tires were punctured on that side of the track. Palmer, of the Palmer and Wells team, was held up by seven punctures there.

Because of the Italian-French rows, forged to the front in the initial hour and held the lead until Lorenz of the German team ran him down in the third hour. Demara, of Demara and Lawrence, then wrested the leadership from Lorenz until he was overtaken by Pye, of Pye and Collins and Thomas outfit. At 7 o'clock the teams still were bunched at the head of the field, although Van Houwaert, the partner of Lapize crossed the line a trifle ahead of the rest.

Because of the Italian-French rows, the chief thrilling incident of the early hours was the effort of Thomas, who with Stein is called the "kid team," to steal a lap. He and Stein, Italian born, made the trick before he was forced to acknowledge failure. Not a spill of consequence marked the early hours of the struggle.

SOMERVILLE MAN STRANGELY MISSING

Leaving his home, as had been his custom, for a fifteen-minute walk before supper, James O. Lind, for fifteen years an electrician at the State House, living at No. 13 Farragut avenue, West Somerville, mysteriously disappeared at 5:45 Friday evening.

Friends of the family said to-day that they fear Mr. Lind may have fallen into Alewife Brook, a short distance from his home, during the foggy weather that prevailed the night he disappeared. For some time he had suffered much from headaches and insomnia. For some weeks illness had compelled him to work only part of each day.

FIGHT FOR RICHESON IS BEGUN

The interest in the absorbing trial of the Rev. Clarence V. T. Richeson, indicted for the murder of Avis Linnell, was enhanced to-day when the clergyman's lawyers went to the county courthouse in Pemberton square and had a most important conference with Chief Justice Aiken relative to the case, which is scheduled to begin on January 15.

The Richeson attorneys, it was understood about the courthouse, asked Justice Aiken for more time to prepare for the defence of the prisoner.

They also discussed the question of the court officially appointing an attorney to represent the prisoner, it was reported.

Chief Justice Aiken reached the court house at 10 o'clock, coming from his home in Greendell. He was known to have been in Boston on Saturday, but it was said that he could not come until to-day. Judge Dunbar, who was associated with his son, Philip R. Dunbar, in the Richeson case at the beginning, had a short talk with Judge Aiken, but it was said that this had nothing to do with the Richeson case.

Attorney Lee Arrives.

While this conference was going on in the judge's room, John H. Lee of Virginia, and Philip R. Dunbar of Boston, of counsel for Richeson reached the court house. They admitted that they were there to see Justice Aiken in connection with the trial, but declined to discuss their visit in detail.

Mr. Lee, who is famous for his success as a criminal lawyer in the South, and who is a personal friend of Verland Richeson, the father of the clergyman accused of murder, was dressed in a black business suit and wore no overcoat. He is a stocky, rugged, determined looking man, with dorid face and gray hair. He speaks with a drawl and deliberation and has an accent that sounds as though it were lifted from one of Thomas Nelson Page's books. He was wearing a rough gray soft hat when he entered the court room with Mr. Dunbar.

Half an hour later the two Richeson lawyers were joined by William A. Morse of Boston. Mr. Morse stands high in his profession. The three attorneys entered Justice Aiken's room shortly before 11 o'clock for their conference.

Beverly R. Harrison, a fourth lawyer, who is identified with the defence, and who comes from Richeson's home in Virginia, was not at the court house.

Many Rumors Heard.

The courthouse was filled with rumors about the Richeson case that seemed to fit about the belief that there would soon be some sensational developments in it.

One of the persistent reports—and it has been current since M. Linnell's friends had withdrawn from the defence, that Richeson would be discharged when Mr. Dunbar believed to have been employed by Edmands, appeared in the case to-day.

It was also said that Congressman Robert O. Harris is still connected with the case in an advisory capacity and that he is in the case because of the interest that Mr. Edmands had in it.

The interest of Edmands comes from the fact that Richeson was about to marry Miss Violet Edmands, his daughter, when Avis Linnell was murdered.

There had been rumors also that there might be some sort of a compromise. A reporter tried to learn to-day if there was any foundation for any such rumor and what he found out indicated that there is not.

From a source that should be reliable, it was said that the District Attorney's office did not contemplate making any such move and that no overtures of any character had come from the defence.

Defence's Investigation.

So far as it could be learned the lawyers for the defence will assert that Richeson never gave Avis Linnell the cyanide of potassium with which she killed herself, believing that it was medicine, as the police charge, and that they will defy the prosecution to prove that he did give her the poison.

It became known to-day that the detectives from the District Attorney's office have gone over Boston with a fine-tooth comb, as it were, in an effort to find some one who saw Richeson and Avis Linnell together on the day she died, and so far as it could be learned they had been found who can positively testify to that. It was even said that the police have not placed the couple together for three or four days previous to the finding of the cyanide slayer.

If the report is true that the District Attorney has no such direct evidence and will have to rely on circumstantial facts to establish that the clergyman caused the deadly poison to the girl, it would make one of the most interesting legal fights ever seen in New England murder trial.

Should the trial of Richeson not be postponed—and District Attorney Pelletier is opposed to any delay in the case—it will be put in the County Court House five weeks from to-day.

The conference between the Richeson lawyers and Judge Aiken lasted forty minutes. When Justice Aiken came into the corridor the reporters asked:

"Will you make a statement about the conference now?"

"No, there is nothing I can say."

"Will you say whether a judge was assigned to preside at the Richeson trial?"

"No," replied Justice Aiken, "I shall say nothing about the matter."

The three lawyers—Lee, Dunbar and Morse—went into a conference on the case at the court house after they had talked with Justice Dunbar.

THINK BURIED MINERS LIVE

BRICEVILE, Tenn., Dec. 11.—Efforts were renewed at dawn to-day to rescue scores of the 190 men who were buried alive two miles under ground in the Cross Mountain coal mine of the Knoxville Iron Company, following the arrival of additional rescue trains and aids.

New hope sprung into the breasts of the workers, who already had removed eight bodies, when conditions in the mine indicated that probably all the men were not dead.

Just after it was felt certain that all the men had been killed a party of rescuers returned with news that in one of the levels they had been exploring conditions were such as to cause them to believe that some of the men were imprisoned in a pocket where free air existed in sufficient quantities to enable them to live for a number of hours.

As soon as this information spread, the camp once more became alive with hope.

Dispatches were sent to the outside world for aid, and a special relief train filled with experienced helmet men and Red Cross workers was started for the mine.

President Stevenson of the Knoxville Iron Company had 175 coffins brought here to-day from Knoxville, and they were laid on up the side of the mountain and stacked against the mouth of the pit.

This grim spectacle brought a great hysterical wail of grief from the wives, mothers and sisters of the entombed men, who for forty-eight hours have braved snow and rain and wind to stand transfixed before the entrance of the main shaft of the mine in the hope that by some miracle their husbands, fathers, brothers or sons might be rescued alive.

Seven bodies were discovered early to-day in a train of mine cars in a cross entry two miles from the mouth of the shaft. These men were on their way to work when their lives were instantly snuffed out by a deadly blast. All of the bodies were found sitting upright, two of them being those of father and son.

Famine to-day threatened for a time to add to the horrors of the situation, but a supply of provisions arrived from Knoxville in time to prevent further suffering. With most of the wage-earners dead in the calamity, destitution now faces the survivors in this little town, and permanent relief measures will have to be taken.

PRINCE ARTHUR TO BE IRELAND'S OVERLORD

LONDON, Dec. 11.—The belief is gradually gaining ground in well-informed political circles that whenever a vacancy occurs in the lord lieutenancy of Ireland it will be filled by Prince Arthur of Connaught. It has been known amongst his friends for some time that Prince Arthur has aspirations in this direction, and it is said that appointment will be a general agreement between the government and opposition, and the Irish party in the House of Commons. In some quarters it is held that Prince Arthur will not be sent to Dublin until the home rule bill has been passed and become law, and that he will, therefore, be the first Lord Lieutenant under the new regime.

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Three Women Who Will Be Prominent at Dog Show This Week And Some of Their Entries

MRS. ARNOLD LAWSON.

BULLDOGS BIG SHOW FEATURE

The French bulldogs are the reigning attraction. More than 120 entries will compete at the 4th annual specialty show of French bulldogs, under the auspices of the French Bulldog Club of New England, at Horticultural Hall, to-morrow and Wednesday.

An added attraction exists at this show, due to the challenge made by Mrs. Arnold Lawson, of Winchester, in which she matched her prize dog, Noswal Naboh, against all other dogs of that breed, for a prize of $500. Champion Nelcotte Gamin, the present title holder, will be in the pens against Mrs. Lawson's dog. The present champion is the property of Purdy Brothers of Boston. Their dog is the father of the dog on whose part the challenge is issued. He is a five-time winner.

Other dogs that will attract considerable attention are: Young Hugo, owned by William H. Young of Brookline; and Nichette and Bob Ton, the property of Walter Burgess of Boston. Dr. Fisher of Chicago, owner of the Normandy Kennels, Mrs. Hamilton of Long Island, and Miss Mary Winthrop, owner of the Never-Never Land Kennels, have entered many of their prize dogs for the show.

There are 204 prizes to be distributed among the various classes, consisting of seven ribbons, 120 gold coin and medal prizes, thirty in the special class, six in the members' class and two in the variety class.

Among the officers of the club, who will take personal supervision of the exhibit, are the following: On the bench show committee: H. E. Young, chairman; L. W. Bright, secretary; Arnold Lawson, C. E. Townsend, A. R. Nichols, S. H. Perry, Walter Burgess, F. P. Purdy, W. B. Purdy, H. C. Prescott, John N. Champion. The judges are: Robert Melcotte of Hamilton, George H. Keyes of New York and Dr. U. F. Sullivan of Boston. Three judges will be a feature this year.

ABOVE: VERONA JARBEAU, BELOW: MISS MARY WINTHROP.

Miss Winthrop has entered some of her dogs from the Never Never Land Kennels. Mrs. Lawson will show several champions.

KING REVIEWED DURBAR TROOPS

DELHI, Dec. 11.—The most magnificent display of British arms ever witnessed in India was reviewed to-day by King George and Queen Mary who will be crowned Emperor and Empress of India at to-morrow's durbar.

The scene offered a picture of pageantry such as only the Orient can supply. Jewels of incalculable value blazed on the multi-colored costumes of the native potentates who are here to express their fealty to King George and Queen Mary and who applied the reviewing stand with them.

More than 50,000 troops are assembled here, one of the greatest military aggregations that India has witnessed since the sepoy rebellion, and almost all of them are natives. Both King and Queen were intensely interested in the broad wake does who guard their far frontiers, and the King in particular showed marked enthusiasm when brigade after brigade of Sikhs rolled by with their colors emblazoned with records of historic accomplishments in India, Afghanistan and Egypt.

TWO SHOT BY SPURNED GIRL

BRADFORD, Pa., Dec. 11.—Rosamis Amisselli shot and killed Miss Grace Cable and Anthony Kolmer, her fiance, here to-day. Amisselli's advances had been rebuffed by the slain girl.

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GOVERNORS ON NEW YORK TOUR

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—The twelve Western Governors who have come to remind the East that there are other potatoes in the basket, had a big and busy time here to-day. Their program included meeting Mayor Gaynor and the Merchants' Association at the Waldorf, a visit to the City College to hear Mayor Gaynor and President Finley speak, a visit to Grant's tomb, luncheon at the Claremont, a trip on the Hudson on the steamer Correction, with a salute from Castle William and an exhibition by fireboats, a trip to Brooklyn as the guests of Joseph A. Nash, vice-president of the Bush Terminal Company, and a dinner given in their honor to-night at the Union League Club by Colonel John A. Sleicher. They leave early to-morrow.

In all respects this day was the busiest on the whole schedule of the tour of the Governors. Police Commissioner Waldo visited the party at the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel and made known the plans for their entertainment, beginning at 9 o'clock.

The commissioner was present with the heads of other city departments to act as a personal escort and a speech of welcome had been prepared by Mayor Gaynor. Committees from the Merchants' Association and the chamber of commerce and another committee of prominent citizens were also joined in the list of hosts.

An array of automobiles worked their way to the hotel and the governors climbed aboard for a tour of the parks. This took up most of the morning.

Guests of Hearst.

Yesterday afternoon the visiting Governors, with their attendants, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Randomh Hearst at luncheon at their apartment in the Ritz-Carlton, Sixty-sixth street and Riverside Drive. There were seventy-six guests at the luncheon, twenty five of whom were women.

Short addresses were made by Governors Eberhart, West, Carey, Burke, Hawley, Norris, Vessey and Oddie. Mr. Hearst and Clarence J. Shearn welcomed the delegation of Executives in brief speeches.

Later in the day the Governors separated and in groups attended and spoke at four special meetings held under the direction of the Young Men's Christian Association throughout Manhattan and Brooklyn.

At the Twenty-third street Y. M. C. A. addresses were delivered by Governor Oddie of Nevada; Governor Eberhart of Minnesota, and Lieutenant-Governor Fitzgerald of Colorado. John it. Finley, president of the college of the City of New York, presided at this meeting.

Governor Carey of Wyoming and Hawley of Idaho were the guests of the Eighty-sixth street branch of the Y. M. C. A. and were greeted by an enthusiastic audience at this East Side auditorium shortly after 3 o'clock.

Addresses at Y. M. C. A.

The Executives received warm-hearted receptions at two well-attended meetings in Brooklyn. At the Bedford branch of the Y. M. C. A. Governor Vessey of South Dakota, Governor West of Oregon, the youngest Executive in the party, and Governor Hay of Washington, delivered short addresses. They were delighted with the enthusiastic reception.

At the eastern district branch of the Y. M. C. A., Governor Blake of North Dakota and Governor Norris of Montana were entertained and their speeches were received with much display of interest.

When the Governors returned to their hotel, scores of native born Westerners, now residents of New York, had gathered to greet them, and from 5 to 6 o'clock a handshaking levee was taking place in all sections of the main floor of the Waldorf. Many native daughters were there to greet representatives of home folk, and a most enjoyable and informal hour was passed before the Executives rushed away to dress for the dinner given by John Hays Hammond in the Waldorf apartments at 7:30 o'clock.

Following is the personnel of the visiting party: James H. Hawley, Governor of Idaho; Adolph O. Eberhart, Governor of Minnesota; Edwin L. Norris, Governor of Montana; Tasker L. Oddie, Governor of Nevada; John Burke, Governor of North Dakota; Oswald West, Governor of Oregon; M. E. Hay, Governor of Washington; Robert S. Vessey, Governor of South Dakota; Joseph M. Carey, Governor of Wyoming; Stephen R. Fitzgerald, Lieutenant-Governor of Colorado.

After the dinner the Western visitors and other guests repaired to the club rooms of the Rocky Mountain Club, where a reception was given in behalf of the California Society. Addresses followed.

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Write "Verses Competition" in the lower left-hand corner of your envelope.

Write on a single sheet of paper and on one side only.

On the back of the sheet write the name and address of the author, and the name and grade of the school.

Clearness and simplicity of expression and good English will be considered in determining the choice.

All manuscripts must be received at the above address before 9:00 A. M., January 1, 1912.

Certain officials of the Company, designated by the management, will act as judges and as soon as practicable the successful winners will be announced through the newspapers, as well at by personal notification.

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Materials are kerseys, all-wool mixtures, polo coats buttoned high or with large fancy collar. Navy, brown, tan, delft blue and gray. Sizes 14 to 18. Junior 15 to 17 years. Reduced to 7.75

Misses' 21.75 and 25.00 Coats 15.00
Vienna cloth, chinchilla, pote cloth, broadcloth and jersey. Trimmed broadcloth coats, that button high at neck; plain coats and semi-fitted coats. Untrue styles, half-belted styles. Extra heavy all-wool fabrics. Misses' and Junior sizes. Reduced to 15.00

Misses' 12.50 and 15.00 Coats 5.95
75 Misses' and Junior Coats, odds and ends from large lots-in fact, about every popular style of coat worn this season can be found in this lot. There are kersey Coats, buttoned high at neck or with large collars (some with velvet); Reversible Coats in quiet colorings; Polo Coats; Mixture Coats of all wool fabrics. Colors are navy, tan, navy, gray mixtures and black. Mostly Junior sizes 13 to 17. Some are Misses' 14 to 18. Reduced to 5.95

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PERSIA TO SACRIFICE SHUSTER TO RUSSIA

TEHERAN, Dec. 11.—W. Morgan Shuster, the American treasurer-general of Persia, is to be sacrificed to Russia's demands for his dismissal. It was intimated in official circles here today that agreement with Russia had finally been reached and that the foundation of the peace pact and the first step toward the withdrawal of Russian troops would be the Persian government's request for Shuster's resignation.

The latter has repeatedly declared that he is perfectly willing to abide by any choice that Persia may make in the situation and no unpleasant incident is anticipated in regard to his withdrawal from the government service.

Exposes Russia's Intrigue.

Declaring that more than a year ago Russia determined upon a division of Persia, and that her objection to W. Morgan Shuster was not to him as an individual, but as an American whose great ability would enable the Persian empire to regain its financial and political independence, a diplomat who visited the United States in search of a treasurer-general, to-day, for the first time told here the inside story of the Czar's amazing intrigue.

"England is either a coward or a fool or she would not aid Russia in this project, which is openly aimed at herself," the AMERICAN'S informant. "Russia's real motive is to find an approach to the frontier of India. Persia alone stands in the way. In the misfortune of my government Russia saw her opportunity. She has done everything she could to block our efforts at constructive statesmanship.

"If the Persian people had the pluck that should be expected from their traditions, 500 of them, armed with rifles, could stop this Russian advance, which must be made through difficult mountain passes.

Dogged By Czar's Spies.

"About a year ago I was appointed a member of the embassy designated to visit the United States for the purpose of obtaining a competent treasurer-general. It was foreseen that the only hope of Persia lay in the appointment of an official skilled in national finance. It was imperative that he should be independent of European affiliation or his administration in spite of himself would be influenced by his nationality. So we started for America.

"From the day we left Teheran our party was dogged by spies of the Czar. They were on the railroad trains, on the steamship. We knew at the time that they were there.

"At this period we had not heard of Mr. Shuster, so that the activity of the Russian spies could not have aimed at him personally.

"When we arrived in Washington the emissaries of Russia were still with us. No personal movement of a single member of the party went unwatched. The Persia charge d'affaires in Washington, Ali Kuli Khan and his wife, who was Miss Mathilde Sexton, were regarded just as assiduously as we.

"Our embassy sought advice from the American government in the selection of a treasurer-general and his principal assistants. We made frequent calls at the State Department and in every case were aware of the presence of spies. The home of the charge was watched.

Why Shuster Was Attacked.

"The appointment of Mr. Shuster and thereafter the selection of the members of his staff were known in Teheran from St. Petersburg before the news reached there officially from Washington.

"Soon after his arrival the Russian government became hostile to Mr. Shuster personally. He mounted it was because of that a man of international reputation had been selected.

"It will be noted in this connection that Russia has made no objection to the Swedish official put in charge of the gendarmerie of Persia.

"Russia knows that without an able treasurer-general the afore-mentioned Swedish official will not have money to organize an effective force. She is concentrated its efforts on Mr. Shuster.

"Shortly after Mr. Shuster's selection he was in conference with a friend, when a New York banker, whose name is known in every European capital, called upon him. I have the name of this banker and can produce it should occasion require. I know now that he was sent by Russia. This banker pointed out to Mr. oustter that the financial affairs of Persia were in such condition that she (rersia) could not possibly keep any contracts she might make with him.

"The banker appeared to be quite as well informed as to Persian finance as the members of the embassy, and failed to back up his statement with detail to back up his statement. Finally he declared that he even should he come to Teheran he might find that Russia would have something to say about the performance of the contract which it was declared could culminate in nothing but failure.

Appeal to Mrs. Shuster.

"Mr. Shuster refused, however, to be convinced. He expressed great faith in Persia, and also in the fact that he was armed with letters from officials in the State Department as well as from the President in Washington.

"The banker finally failed. Russia's agents adopted other means of discouraging Mr. Shuster. They sent the wife of a well known minister to Mrs. shuster, 'I have her name and will produce it also should occasion require.

"This woman appealed to Mrs. Shuster's pride. With great earnestness she informed the new treasurer-general's wife that, as an American woman, she would not be received in official circles in Teheran. She would rank only with itinerant missionaries, who, the minister's wife declared, were ostracized almost as outcasts.

"That statement was a direct and malicious lie, as is proved by the fact that not only is Mme. Ali Kuli Khan, wife of the Persian charge d'affaires, in Washington, an American woman, but that she has been officially decorated by the Persian government and is welcomed everywhere in official circles at Teheran.

"Mr. Shuster's office carries with it distinct social position, and right now here in Teheran, Mrs. Shuster is a great social favorite, all the more as she is regarded as a heroine in not permitting herself to be frightened by the ministers' wife.

"It is not known in Washington that owing to the perseverance of the Russian government in pursuing the American embassy, the Persian charge was at one time coming to resign. There was a recent period when, owing to a reason just ascertained, a transfer of funds could not be made to the legation in Washington."

STORMS DAMAGE ENGLISH SHIPPING

DOVER, Eng., Dec. 11.—Grave fears are felt for shipping off the English, Irish and French coasts as the result of a terrific gale that has lashed the British Isles and the continental coast for twenty-four hours. During an eighty-mile gale seas broke over the pier head, tearing several vessels from their moorings. Wreckage strews the coast, indicating that a steamship has foundered. A large steamer is known to have been wrecked at Dungeness, a vessel has broken up in the Dover bay and a third is reported to have been driven ashore just south of here. It is feared that several lives have been lost.

Mrs. E. W. Clark Attacks Idea of "Bargain Hunt" for Husband

MRS E. W. CLARK

Mrs. Clark declares that "nine times out of ten a woman changing husbands through the divorce court gets something worse."

PERSIAN APPEAL FROM MOTHERS

Declares Wives Are Born, Not Made, and Even Husbands Have Limitations.

By ELIZABETH ELLIOTT.

"If you get a bad bargain in a husband. Keep him, you might do worse by trying to exchange him." That's the advice Mrs. E. W. Clark, a member of eighteen clubs, gives to married women who have tired of their husbands.

"I believe there is one proper and thoroughly congenial mate for every person on earth—never only one (with accent on the one). The church and the Constitution will see to it before long that divorces are abolished."

"You say there is only one person created for each other person—a soul-mate, as it were—then how is it that so many women get more than one husband?" I asked.

"They don't wait for the right one to appear—they go right in and grab what they think they want," Mrs. Clark replied. "Woman is born bargain-hunter and, sad to state, she doesn't always confine her hunt to the regular bargain counters, but goes prowling about in the field of matrimony for a bargain in a husband as well.

Something for nothing is what the average woman is after. Then with the husband-bargain, like so many of their other bargains, when they get it home and see it in the pitiless light of day, in every-day married life, they find, in many cases, that it's just the many of their other bargains—shopworn.

"They try to change it through the divorce courts, and nine times out of ten they get something worse."

"Better to bear the ills we have than to fly to others we know not of, you know, so instead of planning how to get rid of your apparently bad bargain—keep it and make the best of it. You might do worse. There's much good in the most of men, just try to develop it, is about all one can do.

"I don't, by any means, believe that two people who are totally unsympathetic should be forced to live under the same roof, but if there are children, much should be endured before resorting to divorce.

Wives Born, Not Made.

"I think separation is all very well if people simply can't pull together—but remarriage, never.

"If re-marriage were prohibited there would be a noted decrease in the number of divorces in very short order.

"Husbands may have their limitations, but they also have their latent possibilities, and it's the successful wife who brings them forth."

"Don't you think, Mrs. Clark, that there are more happy unmarried women—old maids, putting it clearly, than there are married women—or parasites" I asked.

"No, indeed," she hastened to assert, "there are more happy married women than there are happy unmarried ones. I don't say there are no parasites among the unmarried women, and I don't say that all married women are parasites.

"Wives are born, not made, and there's no set rule for becoming a successful wife, any more than there is a set rule for becoming a successful poet, architect or artist.

"Two-thirds of the women of the world are parasites. Most women in filling out one paragraph could truthfully and properly write after 'occupation'—the one word 'husband.'

"Just because an increasing number of women refuse to be parasites they are often times contemptuously termed 'old maids.'

"The woman who marries for a home, for social position or for convenience, is a parasite.

"Parasites may also be said to be born, not made, and if a woman is born a parasite, she'll be one, married or single. But I think there are fewer unmarried women parasites than married ones.

"Poverty is undoubtedly the cause of more unhappiness in marriage than mostly anything, and when a man has fallen so low that he is both a drunkard and a gambler, happy married life, as well as happy life of any kind, is impossible. If young men who find themselves slipping, would stop slipping into this whirlpool of unhappiness, where nothing but misery and degradation awaits them, would just try to imagine their wife stronger than any temptation, just realize that they more temptations, just realize that they are stronger than the thing which tempts them, and be man enough to use it out right then and there, before it gets a stronger and more deadly grip, they'd begin to realize the joy of really living.

PEACE PLEA BY 2,000 BAY STATE CITIZENS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—A big petition for the ratification of the peace treaties has been received by Senator Crane of Massachusetts. It contains more than 2,000 names of Massachusetts citizens and was brought here by James L. Tryon, secretary of the Massachusetts Peace Society.

ARREST ORGANIZERS OF INSURANCE ORDER

SPRINGFIELD, Dec. 11.—George E. Hard and Charles F. Daniels, who give their address as South Bend, Ind., were arrested here on a charge of violating the State insurance laws in starting an organization called the Order of Owls. Spring-field Nest. More than 100 charter members had been secured who were ready to pay the organizer $5 each, and while seeking entrance to Odd Fellows' Hall, where the initial meeting was to have been held, the police secured Hard and Daniels' bail and dispersed the crowd with news of their arrest.

LAUD HEARST AT BANQUET

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 11.—Two hundred of the most representative men of Los Angeles and Southern California gathered at a banquet at the Hotel Alexandria last night as the guests of the Los Angeles Examiner to celebrate the installation by that newspaper of a new giant black and color press, the largest on the Pacific coast.

The banquet was one of the most brilliant and notable ever held here, and among the company were the men who do things—the busy, able, progressive citizens of the city who have lifted Los Angeles to its high eminence of commercial importance and shaped and captained its inspiring achievements of development and prosperity. Although the occasion was held to inaugurate the Los Angeles Examiner's new press, it was more than that. It was also a jubilation over the outcome of the recent municipal election, at which Mayor Alexander was re-elected and a continuance of the city's unparalleled progress thus assured.

The banquet was the first formal assembling of the prominent Angelenos since the tumultuous event of last year—the defeat of Socialism and the dramatic ending of the Dynamite trial.

At the speakers' table were Mayor George Alexander, Fremont Older, formerly United States Senator; District attorney John D. Fredericks, Superior Judge Walter Bordwell; United States Circuit Judge Erskine M. Ross; Judge Frank Willis; William M. Garland, president of the Los Angeles Realty Board; Judge Paul Comick; the Rev. Baker P. Lee; Rabbi Edmund Hecht; Arthur Letts; H. J. Newmand, president of the Los Angeles Jobbers' Association, Bradner W. Lee, chairman of the Citizen's Committee, which had charge of Mayor Alexander's recent campaign; and M. F. Thomas, general manager of the Los Angeles Examiner.

Besides these, the company included heads of civic and commercial organizations, leading bankers, prominent merchants and men representing all branches of the city's commercial and professional life.

Frank P. Flint acted as toastmaster, and his opening speech was the notable event of the evening. Mr. Flint pronounced phrases Mr. Flint paid tribute to William Randolph Hearst and the Los Angeles Examiner.

"Mr. Hearst," he said, "stands to-day as one of the great Americans talking to more people in the nation each day than any man in it. And Mr. Hearst talks California, and Mr. Hearst talks Los Angeles to all the nation."

NOBEL PRIZE FOR MME. CURIE

STOCKHOLM, Dec. 11.—Mme. Marie Sklodowska Curie, central figure in the most sensational divorce suit Paris has known in years, received personally to-day from the hands of King Gustave the Nobel prize for chemistry.

Other Nobel prizes awarded were to Professor Wilhelm Wien of Wuerzburg University for physics, and Professor Allvar Gullstrand of Upsala University for medicine. The Belgian minister received the prize for literature in behalf of Maurice Maeterlinck, who is in the Nobel prizes each annually is nearly $40,000.

Mme. Curie, who received the prize for chemistry, is the co-discoverer of radium with her husband, the late Professor Pierre Curie, and has the honor of the discovery of polonium to her own credit. She was born in Warsaw, Russia, forty-four years ago, the daughter of one of the professors in the university there. Having struggled through up in her father's laboratory, she went to Paris as a young girl and worked as an assistant in the laboratory of Professor Lippman. She earned barely enough to support herself, but her genius was soon recognized, and Professor Lippman gave her a special table in his laboratory and facilities for investigation.

She was married in 1895 to Professor Pierre Curie, who was then a struggling student of chemistry. They continued their work together, and in 1898 announced their discovery of radium, attracting the attention of the whole scientific world.

On the death of Professor Curie, who was killed by a cab in a Paris street, the government gave to Mme. Curie the Radio-Activity in the University of Paris and offer experiments extending over a number of years, she announced the discovery of polonium, an element possessing great radio-activity.

Recently Mme. Curie has been involved in a divorce suit brought by Mme. Langevin, naming her husband, naming Mme. Curie. The dispute was taken up by all the papers of Paris, and letters purporting to have been written by Mme. Curie to Professor Langevin obtained wide publicity.

SCHOOLS TO CLOSE FOR JOHN TETLOW

The Girls' Latin School will be closed all day to-morrow, and the Girls' High School will close at noon, in tribute to the memory of John Tetlow, headmaster emeritus, who was principal of the Latin School from its founding in 1878 until his retirement in June, 1910, and who died Saturday at his Brookline home. Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock, delegations of students, teachers and educational organizations will attend.

CHILDREN BORN TALLER NOWADAYS

LONDON, Dec. 11.—"Within the last few years I have observed that the standard of newborn children has increased both in weight and height," said Dr. Boyd, of Bryanston Square, giving evidence at Marylebone police court recently. It was, he said, a well known fact that the height of children was increasing. He went on to say that the average height of newborn children was seventeen inches, but many babies nowadays were nearly twenty-four inches in length.

CARDINAL TELLS OF NEW HONORS

ROME, Dec. 11.—Added proof of the confidence and regard of Pope Pius for the three newly-created American Cardinals is constantly shown. The Pope evidently wishes to see the American Cardinals often, and they will probably have many long audiences with the Pontiff before they leave.

Pope Pius is convinced that the nineteen new cardinals will follow his policy, especially in respect to the codification of the canon law and war against modernism. The sudden decision to create so many cardinals, the majority of whom are foreigners, and thus practically reform the Sacred College, is believed to have been due to the Pope's conviction that their services will be needed soon for a conclave to elect his successor.

William Cardinal O'Connell said to-day: "I am grateful to the Holy Father for assigning me to two important congregations, those of the Council and that of States. The Congregation of the Council is the normal interpreter of the laws of the Church and the decrees of the Council of Trent. It now has jurisdiction over America.

"Since by the decree 'Sapienti Consilio' America ceased to be a missionary country and became, like all the great Catholic countries of Europe, canonically established and living under the common laws of the Church, a representative from our nation to the other which will involve many delicate problems will naturally come up for the consideration of this important congregation. I am therefore gratified at the compliment implied by my appointment to the Council.

"Equally important from another point of view is the Congregation of Studies. It has general supervision over the great Catholic universities, seminaries, houses and institutes, and over ecclesiastical studies, a function of the life of the church which is of the utmost concern."

ELOPERS OF 50 AND 47 ELUDE FAMILIES

TACOMA, Wash., Dec. 11.—What is probably a record in matrimony elopements was made when W. T. Lefarge of Kansas City and Mrs. Johanna Nordstrom of Nanaticck, Ct., were married here last week. Lefarge is fifty years old and the bride forty-seven, but to sidestep strong family opposition on both sides they decoyed it necessary for one to elope across the continent and the other half way across. The families of both objected to the other, thus forcing the record elopement. The bride is a divorcee.

SCHOONER MONTH OUT, FEAR 9 LOST

GLOUCESTER, Dec. 11.—Fears are entertained here for the safety of the schooner Alice R. Lawson and the nine men of the crew. It is nearly a month since the schooner left Newfoundland, bound for Gloucester, and although the owners, the Gorton-Pew Fisheries Company, have not lost hope, it is generally feared that the schooner foundered in one of the gales which followed its departure from Fortune Bay. The schooner was commanded by Captain William Larkin of Nova Scotia.

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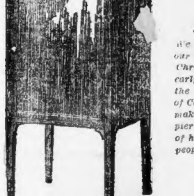
Mr. Justice knew that the careful test before and after each time a record case and that he would therefore be interested and he kindly gave us the above address. Fulton's Diabetes Compound can be had at all Rexall Stores. Rexall Drug stores.

Xmas Gifts at Paine's



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BENNETT LAUDS HUB'S CULTURE

Arnold Bennett, the English author and playwright, who some weeks ago, declared Boston "was as English as a muffin," now praises the city as a center of real culture. He has visited Washington, New York, Chicago, Philadelphia and other cities and has reserved for Boston chief honors in his honors for true culture.

Mr. Bennett, who has just returned to London is quoted as saying:

"Boston is a center of real culture singularly English as compared to Chicago, some of the streets might have been taken straight out of London or Kensington.

"Philadelphia is much brighter and livelier than its Quaker City title suggests.

"Chicago is ugly, but immensely alive, hale. I should not have expected much art in the exterior of Chicago, but certainly found title, but I was fascinated with the organization of the town across the great factories and the great industrial plants, over which I was taken by the heads of these corporations. Remarkable alertness struck me as being characteristic of the methods in these enormous agglomerations of people, and the men at the head gave me a singular sense of power and ability.

Americans Not Vulgar.

As regards the social life which I encountered, I was perhaps too much entertained to get a proper perspective of American home life. I believe it is fairly truthfully represented in American fiction, and they are as pleasant, certainly singularly receptive to new ideas.

"Two things struck me during the eight weeks I have been away from England—first, that Americans are not the boastful, vulgar people they are represented as being; although they were indeed, much to best of I second, they do understand the science of comfort, not only in the hotels, but in their homes.

"As a novelist, I was enormously interested in everything concerning books. The bookshops are splendid, not only in size but arrangement, and the book departments of the great stores surpass anything we have in this country. Reading is popular in America.

"You ask me, am I for or against America? No, I cannot answer a plain yes or no. It is far too big a subject. But I can decidedly not for American interviewing, which I found extremely bad and unsatisfactory.

Praises Women Speakers.

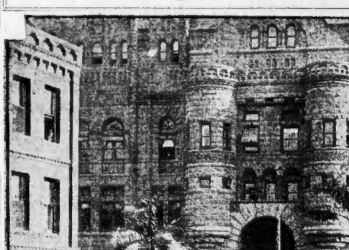
"Another blunder which I had dispelled was that of the excellent after-dinner speaking which is said to obtain in America. Two best speeches which were made at the farewell dinner given to me in New York were those of two women writers—Kate Douglas Wiggin and Josephine Preston Dodge.

"As to the hustle and rush which are considered so especially American, I saw practically none. People walk along the streets and one perceives no great sense of time of nine-tenths of the people one meets in the Strand.

"What a magnificent street Fifth Avenue is! Not, of course, to be compared to the East Side of New York, which does not present to the visitor from the West End of London of London occasionally make their presence felt in our midst.

"Washington is still in the making. When it is finished it will be a capital worthy of the United States, but at present as soon say, New York makes the United States humdrum."

Crowds Waiting to Learn Fate of the McNamaras



Scene in front of County Court House at Los Angeles when dynamiters were being sentenced. Photograph by National News Association.

OPPOSE NORTON M'NAMARAS GO TO HARD LABOR

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tial to end deliberately the life of any person, even though it be for the purpose of relieving him from pain."

Dr. Ella J. Dudman, the first woman physician appointed by the city to inspect children in the public schools, is also an opponent.

"The assertion of the proposed monument," she said, "would be an outrage upon morality and a reflection on medical science. The most prominent physicians that I know condemn the practice of euthanasia. The same is the sentiment of most moral philosophers."

Dr. Lucius Hudnut, who has persistently rodeod to the AMERICAN a trenchant edition against euthanasia, was astonished when asked to comment on a monument to Gillette.

"I am most certainly opposed to the erection of the monument in question," she declared. "It would be giving concrete expression of approval to a perverted practice. The appreciation of which cannot but have evil effects. It is by no means a step forward in the cause of humanitarianism. It is not a step of improvement on the barbaric practice of the Spartans of old who slaughtered all newly born cripples of Union inner," and dilated upon his life as a dynamiter."

With the McNamara brothers beginning their first day's labor as convicts in the San Quentin Penitentiary, Ortie E. McManigal is to-day preparing at Los Angeles, to face the ordeal of appearing before a Federal Grand Jury at Indianapolis, where as will be taken for the dynamiting inquiry which began on Thursday.

"I'll tell any Grand Jury anywhere everything that I know. I have nothing to conceal, and I shall consider it my duty to give the authorities all information in my possession," was the word that McManigal sent from his cell to-day.

Oscar Lawler, the Government's special prosecutor, may go to Indianapolis to assist in the case. The investigation in Los Angeles is aimed at fewer than five persons and may be concluded this week, while the Indianapolis inquiry is expected to bring only the case at least a dozen persons. Indianapolis, therefore, will be the centre of the Government's investigation.

Get New Evidence.

New and startling evidence is believed to have been uncovered in a second raid made upon the office and vaults of the International Association of Bridge and Iron Workers in Indianapolis, where John J. McNamara was arrested in April. The place was stripped of the last vestige of documentary evidence for presentation before the Federal Grand Jury.

The requests of the office are under guard of deputy United States marshals who pace the corridors of the Federal Building armed with sawed-off shotguns.

Leo M. Rappaport, attorney for the Iron workers, happened to be in the building while the raid was in progress. He asked the marshal whether more arrests were under way, and being told that nothing was contemplated he passed on, after telling the marshal that if any of the Iron workers were wanted he would arrange for their surrender.

Another girl said to have handled much of the correspondence of John J. McNamara when he was directing the dynamiting of non-union steel work was named today as Miss Mary Dyer and said to be in Ohio by Daniel Haley, father of Miss Nora Haley, the Chicago girl who was Darrow's private secretary to the convicted chief of dynamiters.

Girl May Ttestify.

"Why don't they find Miss Dye?" Haley asked. "She was McNamara's bookkeeper and stenographer after my daughter came to Chicago. Miss Dye might talk for the Grand Jury. I have been told that she had a quarrel with John McNamara and got $300 when she left his employ."

Miss Haley denied that she ever suspected McNamara was connected with anything contrary to law.

The report that the executive committee of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Iron Workers has been in secret conference in some place other than Indianapolis for several hours was partially substantiated to-day by the fact that both Frank M. Ryan and Acting Secretary H. C. Hockin have been out of the city and that of the executive committee could be found here. The meeting, it was believed, was held in Chicago.

To a question United States District Attorney Miller responded that he had not discuss his preparations for a Grand Jury investigation. Walter L. Drew, counsel for the National Erectors' Association, who was close to the centre of activity, was equally non-committal.

There is an untold chapter of romance in the McNamara tragedy that could be written in full only at the cost of broken hearts and ruined homes. John J. McNamara attracted women, was them and passed on, as their numbers testify.

WAS WARNED OF MAINE BLOW-UP

BEDFORD, Ia., Dec. 11.—Alexander C. Brice of this city, who was United States consul at Matanzas, Cuba, in 1897-98, said yesterday that two days before the battleship Maine was blown up in Havana Harbor, he was warned that the vessel was about to be destroyed. Upon request of President McKinley, he says, publicity was withheld.

"Two nights before the destruction of the Maine," said Mr. Brice, "a man whom I knew and who was not an American came to my residence at midnight, and upon the promise that I would not reveal his name, told me the Maine would be blown up.

"I sent a special messenger to Elizabeth Lee, consul general at Havana, but the officials there failed to credit the warning. The next day the explosion took place.

"When I returned to the United States I reported the incident to President McKinley and the Secretary of State, and the President requested that no publicity be given to the incident at that time. I respected his wish, but feel at liberty to make a statement now that the Naval Board has reported that a mine, touched off from the outside, caused the ship's magazine to explode."

RULES SON MAY FIGHT EDDY WILL

CONCORD, Dec. 11.—Ebenezer J. Foster-Eddy of Montpelier, Vt., under a decision of the United States Circuit Court, sealed public policy. The defendants, given the right to contest the will of his foster-mother, Mrs. Mary Baker Eddy, and the Christian Science Church will be forced to fight in court for its right to inherit under the will of its founder.

In his bill Mr. Eddy raised the point that all the bequests of his foster-mother to the Christian Science Church were against public policy. The defendants, Henry M. Baxter, executor of Mrs. Eddy's estate, and the officers of the Christian Science Church, filed a demurrer and an interlocutory motion in which they questioned Mr. Eddy's right to sue. He, it is claimed, has already signed off any rights he might have had under the will of his foster-mother.

General Streeter, counsel for the defendants in the interlocutory motion, asked that his question of Foster-Eddy's rights be adjudicated, but Judge Aldrich dismisses the request, as he does also the demurrer to the suit.

The judge, though, refuses to go into the matter of the public policy raised by Mr. Foster-Eddy in his suit regarding the bequests to charities.

He says that is a matter that cannot be determined as a pure matter of law and will therefore have to be tried on the facts in the regular way.

This decision will allow the whole question of alleged deception and fraud which have been practiced by the defendants in procuring the will to be scrutinized, to be sifted down to the facts. That is regarded as one of the most important decisions so far, but another is that the plaintiff is given a standing in court and will have a right within prescribed bounds to bring out all the facts relative to not only the question of fraud, but finally settle the merit matter, but also as to whether the making of Mrs. Eddy's estate was left to the Christian Science Church or as a charitable trust.

It is also probable that George W. Glover will be joined as a party to the bill in the United States Court, because of the bequest of $1,000,000 Mrs. Foster-Eddy once has made in that court, and that so far as the interest in the principal of the family considerable portion of Mrs. Eddy's estate are concerned, proceedings in the State courts will be allowed to die.

The defendants are allowed thirty days to file an answer to the Circuit Court decision.

INDIAN PRINCE GIVES DOCTOR $33,300 FEE

LONDON, Dec. 2.—A young London surgeon has just had the good fortune of receiving one of the largest fees ever paid to a member of the medical profession. Three months ago Dr. Bedford Pierce went to India to attend the Maharajah of Nepal. He found it necessary to perform an operation, and this he carried out with success. The surgeon on his way home was loaded with princely presents, besides which he received a gift of £6,850 (about $33,300). The Maharajah is one of the chief princes of India.

BULGARIANS LOSE IN TURKISH ATTACK

SALONIKA, Dec. 11.—Heavy losses have been sustained by Turkish and Bulgarian forces in a fierce fight near Demirkapi. A Bulgarian force attacked Turkish blockhouse. The Turkish garrison made a spirited defence and several bloody hand-to-hand encounters followed. The Bulgarians did not retire until many had been killed and wounded.

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WETS AND DRYS RENEW FIGHT

The battle between the wets and the dries for supremacy in Massachusetts cities will be renewed to-morrow when thirteen municipalities will vote upon the question of license or no license. The thirteen are Beverly, Everett, Lynn, Malden, Medford, Melrose, Newburyport, Newton, Salem, Somerville, Woburn, Worcester and Chelsea.

In all of them except Lynn, Medford and Beverly a mayor and a full city government will be elected. In Lynn, which has a commission form of government, the liquor question is the all-important one. The election of a commissioner of public works, a commissioner of public property and two members of the school committee being the other matters to be decided by the voters. Beverly elects a board of assessors. It is expected that the dries will have all the advantage in the elections to-morrow. Everett, Everett, Malden, Medford, Melrose, Newton and Somerville being counted as go for no license. All the others are known as "pendium" cities, with the one question at issue, and the city was once a stronghold of license, voting for that policy year after year. Four years ago it changed and has been dry ever since. One of the biggest fights in the States is being waged there by both interests.

Contest in Worcester.

In Worcester another big struggle is going on with the chances, it is claimed, in favor of license. That city went dry two years in succession.

In Newburyport, Salem, Woburn and Clinton either side has a chance and it is certain that the prohibitionists will carry some of them, as they did last year.

The mayoralty fights in some of the cities are being waged with considerable energy on all sides, one of the most prolific being that in Salem between former Mayor Arthur Howard, William H. McSweeney, a lawyer, and Mayor Rufus Access. The fight was enlivened by the withdrawal of former Mayor Harley L. Swift in favor of Mr. McSweeney and subsequent charges on the part of former Mayor Howard that Mr. Swift is fighting hard to overturn a no-license majority.

Worcester, besides the liquor question will decide whether it is to be Republican or Democratic for a year. George F. Brooks is the Republican candidate and David F. O'Connell the Democratic.

Out for Re-election.

In Somerville Mayor Charles A. Burns is out for re-election against former Alderman James F. Reynolds. It is expected that Burns will win, since the city is overwhelmingly Republican. A contest for School Committee in Ward 6 between Epworth T. Morgan, Democrat, and F. A. H. Fiske, a Republican, is creating a great deal of interest.

Malden has a four-cornered mayoralty fight, Dr. George H. Lovell, Joseph E. Farrell, Frank M. Sawtell, Charles H. Ball and Walter H. Hill, chairman of the Board of Aldermen.

In Everett Thomas J. Hoey, president of the Board of Aldermen, is running for Mayor against Edward Ward, a member of the Board of Public Works. The chief fight, though, centers around the school committee, Mayor Herbert P. Wasgatt being one of the candidates and James I. Irwin, one of the instigators of the recent city graft investigation, being the other.

Charles E. Hatfield, chairman of the Republican State Committee, is a candidate for re-election as Mayor of Newton, being opposed by W. J. Doherty, a Democrat.

HEAR PROTESTS AGAINST CZAR

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—With many prominent Hebrews in attendance the House Foreign Affairs Committee began hearings to-day on the Sulzer resolution to abrogate the treaty with Russia because of that country's treatment of American citizens of Jewish faith.

The committee room was crowded with members of Congress and others interested in the Russian passport question. Among those heard were Representative Gigli fogle, Harrison and Levy of New York, former Secretary of Commerce and Labor Isaac Straus, Jacob Schiff, the New York Banker; Judge Meyer Sulzberger of Philadelphia, Louis Marshall, Lee Kohn and other members of the National Citizens' Committee. William McAdoo of the National Citizens' Committee was the first witness.

"This country," he said, "does not propose to maintain a treaty with a nation that refuses to recognize the passports of American citizens because of their religious faith. I have little to say about this matter except that Russia's actions have been such that there is a general sentiment throughout the United States for the abrogation of the treaty of 1832."

Judge Sulzberger told the committee of the monster mass meeting in New York city where Russia was denounced and in petto was given the movement to break off relations between the two countries.

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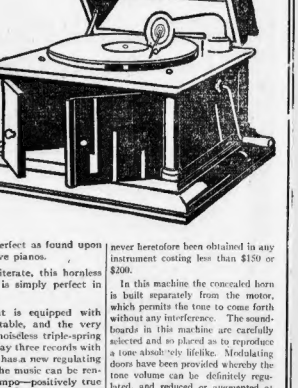

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Jane Addams, Sociologist and, next to Lincoln, greatest humanitarian born in Kentucky.

Mrs. Elizabeth Fry, Great because of prison reforms brought about the world over.

Susan B. Anthony, Called the greatest statesman, or stateswoman, the world ever gave.

George Eliot, The great English novelist, chosen as the greatest woman in letters.

Florence Nightingale, The greatest of women among the humanitarians.

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CHARLOTTE CORDAY, who did most to stop the French revolution.

GEORGE ELIOT, novelist.

JANE ADDAMS, social reformer.

FRANCES WILLARD, friend of woman, ecstacy of the saloon.

ELIA FLAGG YOUNG, who is revolutionizing Chicago's schools.

HARRIET BEECHER STOWE, who helped to usher in new social era.

FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE, founder of Red Cross.

EMPRESS AN OF CHINA, its greatest ruler.

QUEEN ELIZABETH, whose reign ushered in the Protestant religion.

ELIZABETH CADY STANTON, who first advocated suffrage here.

SARAH BERNHARDT, great actress.

MADAME CURIE, discoverer of radium.

ABIGAIL ADAMS, mother of one President, wife of another.

CLARA BARTON, Red Cross worker.

ELIZABETH FRY, prison reformer.

DOROTHEA DIX, prison reformer.

ROSA BONHEUR, greatest animal painter.

CHARLOTTE BRONTE, novelist.

MARGARET FULLER, authoress.

Dr. Anna Shaw, national suffrage president, gracefully acknowledged the inclusion of her name among the twenty greatest women, indorsed by the Illinois State Suffrage Association at their annual bazaar in Chicago. When modesty was suggested as her reason for declining the compliment paid her by the Chicago women, Dr. Shaw said:

"No. I am just truthful. Like many other women, I am merely carrying on the work begun by others. I am merely doing my duty."

Dr. Shaw, in making out a list of great women, did not include Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt nor Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst, as the Chicago women had done. Dr. Shaw made the same application to them as she did to herself, saying that they were carrying on an splendid work, as results were not definite that it was premature to sum up the merits of their work.

Dr. Shaw also left off the name of Mary Baker Eddy, founder of the Christian Science Church. "Mrs. Eddy commercialized the religion she spread. If she had not done this she might have been one of our very greatest women in history," said Dr. Shaw.

Haven't Had a Chance.

"It is hardly fair to women to ask them to complete a list of twenty great women to compare with the list suggested by Andrew Carnegie. Women until recently have had no chance except what the sexes offered to them. We have produced some great actresses. But we have been permitted to exert our brains to so few other directions outside the stage that we haven't had the same opportunity as men to shine in the great work of the world.

"I regard Susan B. Anthony as the greatest woman this country has produced, and the greatest that few, if any other country has produced. Miss Anthony was a statesman and a philosopher. She organized her sex. Next to Lincoln, she is our greatest figure in history. In fact," said Dr. Shaw, after a moment's reflection, "she is our greatest. What Lincoln did, he was backed up by the army and navy. But in what Miss Anthony did she stood alone.

"I notice the men included in Mr. Carnegie's list mostly represented those who had prostituted business. But history is full of women who helped to revolutionize society, the highest form of service."

DENIES CRUELTY BY ITALIANS

LONDON, Dec. 11.—William F. Riley, in a letter in the Morning Post from Tripoli, says:

"I feel it my duty as an Englishman resident here for twenty-five years, and one who has remained here all through the present trouble, to state in common justice to Italy, the facts in the so-called massacre perpetrated by Italians on October 23. I had finished lunch when I heard a commotion in the streets. We saw a number of Jews from the silver market running along with their wooden boxes containing their goods calling out: 'Shut up your shops; the Arabs are coming into town.' Everybody started locking up their shops and running away. Shortly after the soldiers appeared at the bottom of the street calling out:

"'Get inside.'

"The Arabs were still scurrying home, when two soldiers appeared at the opposite end of the street and ordered them back. They pointed their rifles but did not fire, nor did I see them fire at all. I asked a soldier what was the matter and he told me the Arabs and Turks had fired on them from windows and houses and that they had orders to clear the street and to shoot any natives carrying rifles.

"Shots were heard quite near, being fired from roofs and windows, but I saw no shooting on groups of innocent unarmed Arabs. Nor had any other impartial observer, including the Arabs themselves, who have no objection to refuting the vile and scandalous statements published in European papers."

SHILOH PRAYS FOR SANDFORD

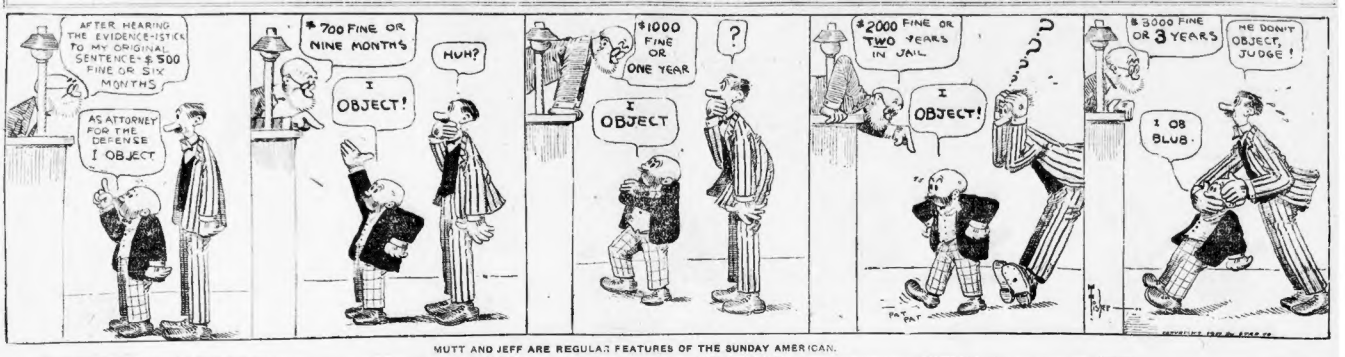
SHILOH, Me., Dec. 11.—The Holy Ghost and Us colony is stunned by the conviction of its leader, the Rev. Frank W. Sandford, on a charge of manslaughter in causing the deaths of six of the crew of the yacht Coronet. Leaders of the colony fear they will be unable to keep the members of the sect at Shiloh. Many of the converts are already threatening to leave.

While Sandford remained on a tiny yacht off shore, the colony, numbering more than 600 persons, gave up the entire day in prayer for his delivery.

All day Shilohites fled in and out of their church building for prayer services. The leaders, including the lunar circle of the faithful, held a secret session in the office in the west wing of the immense temple. Everywhere meek-faced men and women with sober countenances spoke in whispers in little groups.

Prayers were made from the two towers of the main building, the praying once being offered from each

Jeff Almost "Objected" Mutt Into the Electric Chair By "Bud" Fisher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MUTT AND JEFF ARE REGULAR FEATURES OF THE SUNDAY AMERICAN.

MISS AMSDEN WINS TRIUMPH

By FREDERICK JOHNS.

Miss Elizabeth Amsden made her debut with the Boston Opera company last night in an operatic concert. Miss Amsden is a Boston girl who has been singing abroad and of whom many nice things have been said home.

Miss Amsden is all that she was described as being, a remarkable dramatic soprano, if one can judge from the pageant scene of "Aida," in which she sang the title part.

In her voice there is big thrill and richness. Handled not differently, beautiful as available of sudden sound. Her tones were rich and glorious. They thrilled and entranced. If Miss Amsden can and sing her way all through "Aida" as she did through the pageant scene, Mr. Russell has made a stroke worth while.

The concert last night was all sorts. The Faust scene was bad, for with one exception none of the principals seemed to be able to sing, though the good old chorus was there with a resounding "Soldiers' Chorus."

Edward Lankow was heard in several German songs which he sang superbly, displaying rich, fine tone, and fine notes of extraordinary splendor.

Hans Rosbo, an Italian tenor who used to be a policeman, sang "O ci lasala" months from "Bohemian" with such effect that he had to repeat it. The young man is anything but a great artist, but he has a voice which can be made an excellent one.

The pageant scene from "Aida" brought the concert to a very impressive close.

SECOND DAY OF GOLDEN JUBILEE

The second of the three days' celebration of the golden jubilee of the Jesuit church of the Immaculate Conception on Harrison avenue opened this morning with the saying of a number of low masses, followed by morning services ending with a solemn high mass of requiem for the repose of the souls of deceased benefactors.

Rev. Francis P. Powers, S. J., was the celebrant, assisted by Rev. Joseph Gorman, S. J., treasurer of Boston College, as deacon, and Rev. James Gillespie, S. J., as sub-deacon. Rev. John Fleming, S. J., was master of ceremonies.

The church was crowded. A quartette, under the direction of organist John Devlin, furnished the music. Vaschetti's celebrated requiem mass was sung by Helen C. Dever, soprano; Mrs. I. Henry Kenon, contralto; Angelo Nicoli, tenor, and Vincent Coppolino, basso.

Commemoratory exercises will be held tonight, and a sermon will be preached by Rev. William J. Cowsog, S. J.

To-morrow morning there will be a solemn high mass for the living benefactors, the three days' celebration closing to-morrow night with a reunion of all the societies connected with the church. The services held for the reunion of the sodalities of the church are particularly impressive, and it is expected that an enormous crowd will be on hand.

BANCROFT ASKS MERCHANTS' AID

Hugh Bancroft, chairman of the directors of the port of Boston, in to-day's number of the Chamber of Commerce Bulletin, makes an appeal for that body's help and support in the work of the new board. The article reads:

"To the members of the Boston Chamber of Commerce:

"We want to work with the business men of Boston and we want the business men of Boston to work with us. We ask your cooperation in two ways:

"First, we want your personal support in keeping as constantly a public sentiment favorable to the progressive development of the port.

"Second, we want your practical and active support. This means your opinions, your advice, not more than that. It means business for the facilities which the port has to-day and for those which we are instituted to give it in future.

"Those are the main ways who control or affect the movement of freight. You can be of tangible assistance by seeing to it that the business which you can direct comes through Boston, keeping our present facilities busy and emphasizing the need for more.

"I believe you should do this even if it is at a slight present disadvantage to you, because whatever you may lose by thus using the port now will come back to you a hundredfold soon to the betterment of facilities and the increased prosperity of the port in which you will share."

CHEERING NEWS FROM DR. ELIOT

The Rev. Samuel A. Eliot of Cambridge is greatly cheered by the receipt of two cablegrams from Kandy, Ceylon, where his father, President Emeritus Charles W. Eliot of Harvard, was operated upon for appendicitis. These read: "Condition satisfactory; in modern hospital with skilful attendants," and "comfortable day."

President Emeritus Eliot and party, consisting of Mrs. Eliot, a granddaughter, Miss Ruth Eliot of Brookline and Rogers Pierce of Milton, Harvard, '04, Dr. Eliot's private secretary, started for a tour of the Eastern countries on November 7.

Dr. Eliot was stricken with an attack of appendicitis shortly after his arrival at Kandy, and was operated upon in a hospital in that city Saturday. Reports thus far received from the Far Eastern city indicate there is no danger, and friends and relatives of the noted educator here seem not alarmed.

The party had planned to spend eight weeks in the interior of India and so on from there to Java, the Philippines, China, Japan and Hawaii. In case of a speedy recovery, the itinerary of the trip will probably remain the same.

KAUFMAN SLAYER CAUGHT.

CHICAGO, Dec. 11.—The murderer of Mrs. Hattie Kaufman is reported under arrest. Police officials have secured from relatives of the dead woman papers guaranteeing payment of $200 reward offered for the capture.

MAXINE ELLIOTT'S BRAIN LIKE SENATOR'S, DECLARES GOODWIN

SPARTANBURG, S. C., Dec. 11.—Nat C. Goodwin, who played a one-night stand here, said today that his memoirs will be published in three months. In them he pays a tribute to the cleverness of Maxine Elliott, his third wife.

"She has the brain of a Senator," he said, "and ought never to have married. She is not suited for domesticity. One does not like his wife to know more than he.

"I introduced her to financiers, and they gave her advice by which she made profitable investments. Sometimes they speculated for her with their own money and if the market went the wrong way pocketed the loss themselves and gallantly said nothing about it to her."

GEORG B. LOMBARD DIES AT HOSPITAL

George B. Lombard, head of the house of A. C. Lombard Sons, steamship agents, died at Eliot Hospital at 3 o'clock a. m. today from internal troubles. Mr. Lombard was a captain in the Civil War. He was a member of the Exchange and Somerset clubs.

FIRE SCARE IN YOUNG'S HOTEL

Scores of guests at Young's Hotel slumbered peacefully early to-day while Lieutenant Thomas Downey and the crew of Chemical No. 1 of Bulfinch street, with a line of hose, stood guard on the roof of the hotel watching flames shooting from the top of the broiler stack. So quietly did the firemen work that not a guest in the hotel was awakened and only a few of the employes knew the firemen were there.

The broiler stack leads up from the kitchen and is situated on the east side of grease, caught fire early to-day and the shower of flames and sparks which followed dropped upon the roof of the hotel. The blaze was seen by one of the employes, who notified Lieutenant Hyland of the Court square police station. Fire headquarters was told, and the crew of Chemical No. 1 were sent to the scene.

The bell on the chemical was muffled upon nearing the hotel and the apparatus drew noiselessly into Court avenue. Lieutenant Downey and the other firemen climbed the stairs with chemical line and extinguishers and, stationing themselves upon the roof, quelched the sparks and blazing brands as they fell. The fire in the stack burned itself out and no damage resulted. The broiler stack will probably be either changed or re-modeled, as the firemen have been called to the hotel to extinguish similar fires several times during the past year. Fortunately, however, each time the blaze has been discovered before the roof caught fire and no panic among the guests has always been prevented.

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STRONG LICENSE FEELING IN LYNN SHOWN BY CANVASS

Many People Who Display No Cards Will Vote Yes—No License Lynn Has a Bigger Crime Record Than All the Rest of Essex County Combined—School Teachers' Pay Held Up Because the Department Is Short of Funds.

LYNN, Dec. 11—The big issue to be settled by the voters of Lynn to-morrow, the one question that overshadows all the others, is that of License or No License.

The popular sentiment now seems to be strongly in favor of License.

The City has been under the No-License rule for four years. The advocates of the No-License system have been making a strong appeal for another chance.

Many of the leaders on the No side admit privately that the indications point to the return of the License system.

PROMISED REFORMS FAIL

There is a feeling among the people of Lynn that No License has been tried and found wanting. Year after year the speakers for the No-License movement have been claiming that the closed saloon would mean a clean city, clean streets, better business and social conditions, better government, and that every reform under the sun would be worked out in Lynn if No License should prevail.

People now are saying that a trial of four years is a fair one, and the verdict seems to be that not one single thing claimed for No License by its champions has come to pass.

Surely the streets are not cleaner, in the sense there are fewer men under the influence of liquor in the city, and it is a well-known fact that disgraceful scenes are the rule in the late trains from Boston, both on the Boston & Maine and Narrow Gauge Railroads, and in the street cars from Chelsea.

Instead of protecting young men, as has been claimed for it, the No-License scheme has been the cause of driving them in droves to Boston and exposing them to temptations more glaring and greater there than could possibly exist in their home city.

It is a fact that, during the last four years, or since No License has been in effect in Lynn, more young men have been seen under the influence of liquor in the streets late on Saturday nights and on Sunday mornings than was the rule under License.

Practically every small merchant in the city of Lynn is opposed to a continuance of the No-License system. Many of them outspokenly declare it is a farce. They say it is impossible of enforcement; that, instead of promoting temperance, it has caused the kitchen bar-room to flourish; and they insist that, instead of helping their business, No License has materially injured it.

Take the barbers for instance. They say that the "going-to-Boston-habit" has hurt their trade immensely, practically ruining their Saturday business.

Lynn is one of the great shoe cities of the world. It would seem as if the retail shoe business ought to be in a flourishing condition here, but it is not. Retail shoe dealers say the cause may be found in the fact that so many Lynn people are tempted to go to Boston.

The stores that deal in furnishing goods for men also have suffered because of this daily exodus to the big city. Restaurants have felt its effect, especially upon their Saturday evening trade.

It has frequently been said that Prohibition or No License breeds hypocrisy and deceit. There are many concrete instances which go to prove that statement in Lynn. No-License cards appear in the windows of many stores in the city. A canvass of those stores shows that, in very many instances, the proprietors have allowed these cards to be placed in their windows for fear of losing the trade of the No-License people.

This is what they say: "That card is in my window, but I can't help myself. If I didn't put it there these No-License fellows wouldn't trade with me. I am not in favor of No License myself. I like my glass of beer.

"I think we ought to have some good licensed places here. We know there are many of our friends that feel the same way we do, and just because they cannot get a good glass of beer here in Lynn—and they won't drink the cheap whiskey that is peddled—they spend their Saturday afternoons and evenings in Boston. I tell you, that sort of thing hurts our business, but, at the same time, we dare not offend the No-License people by refusing to put their cards in our windows."

It is really surprising how many of these people doing business in a small way say that sort of thing. They are putting No-License cards in their windows, but they are going to give the License their vote to-morrow. It is said that about 90 per cent. of the small storekeepers in Lynn have given private assurances of their intention to vote YES to-morrow.

The majority of Lynn's merchants, in the last three or four years, have been buying on small orders. The only people who seem to have increased their trade under No License in Lynn are those who have been selling liquor illegally.

Notwithstanding the vigilance of the police, more dives have been in operation this year than ever before. By dives is meant places where the rawest kind of liquor is sold.

Probably more alcohol has been consumed during the last year than ever before, but it has been of the kind that has paid no tax to the city treasury; has been of a kind that is most injurious to health; has been of a kind that has been doctored with a cheap coloring matter; and has been of a kind not fit to feed to a lamp.

Lynn has become a city of bottle drinking. It is impossible to get a drink of beer or light wine in the city.

It is a very easy matter to procure a drink of terrible stuff called whiskey. It is a fact that whiskey drinking has taken the place of beer drinking and light wine drinking in Lynn, and, surely, that is not promoting temperance.

Any lodging-house proprietor will tell you of the terrible effects of No License, and will give you startling figures relative to the increase in the bottle drinking habit.

But it seems that temperance is not the end sought by the No-License League of Lynn. In the leading statement of the first issue of their official paper they say:

"The Citizens' No-License League has nothing whatever to do with politics or total abstinence. The only thing it is fighting for in Lynn is the closed saloon. It confines its attention exclusively to No License. It doesn't work for or against or even express a preference for any candidate."

Taking them at their own word, therefore, they are not seeking temperance. The one thing they are fighting for in Lynn is the closed saloon. That statement has convinced many people in the city of the insincerity of the No-License League.

It was not supposed that No License meant the kitchen bar-room or the selling of split alcohol from bottles behind billboards and in alleyways. But that is just what the closed saloon has brought about in Lynn. The No-License people know it.

If the No-License League really was in earnest in making Lynn a clean city, many citizens now are saying, it would do something more than fight for the closed saloon; it would attempt to wipe out illegal liquor selling. But, so far it has not endeavored to do that.

Taking this No-License League upon its own statement some people argue that the league folks prefer that Lynn people should drink the worst kind of adulterated liquors, amid the most abominable surroundings, for, they say, that is just what it has amounted to in this city for four years.

Has No License promoted morality and good order in the city of Lynn? This testimony from the Lynn Item of Sept. 14 would indicate that it has not:

"BIG LIST FOR COURT."

"The Lynn police report that there were more cases up for indictment from Lynn at the present sitting of the Grand Jury at Lawrence than from the cities and towns of the rest of the county combined."

Here you have the startling fact presented by the police authorities themselves that the No-License city of Lynn was the home of more crime than all the other cities and towns of the county combined.

Lynn has a population of 89,336. Haverhill, a license city, has 44,115, and Lawrence, another license city, has 85,892. The wet area of Essex county has a population of 130,007, or 40,671 more people than dry Lynn, and much less crime.

But that's not the whole story. Essex county has a population of 436,447, or 347,111 outside of Lynn. And yet, No-License Lynn, with 89,336, furnished more crime cases to the court than the rest of the county with 347,141.

How do the No-License advocates, the men who insist No License means better living, account for that police report?

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Here is some more evidence from the same newspaper, under date of Nov. 1. In the first page story of that date the Lynn Item says in its headlines:

THIS CITY LED IN THE OCTOBER DIVORCE BILLS

AN EVEN DOZEN OF NUMBER FILED IN MONTH WERE FROM RESIDENTS OF LYNN.

DESERTION GIVEN AS LEADING CAUSE.

Under those headlines this story is printed:

"There were 33 divorce libels filed at the office of the Clerk of Courts at Salem during the month of October.

"The details have been published weekly. Lynn leads in the number of cases, there being 12 in which one or both of the parties came from that city."

A lot of people would like to have the No-License champions explain that record. Heretofore they have said that drinking was the principal cause of wife desertion. If that is true, why is it that the No-License system has not corrected this habit of wife desertion? As a home breaker No License seems to be the holder of all records.

The consensus of opinion at the present time is that No License has absolutely failed to carry out any of its promises.

Perhaps it might be well, however, to quote the disinterested opinion of the veteran correspondent of the Boston Globe, than whom there is no man in Lynn better informed on conditions. In his letter to the Boston Globe of Nov. 19 he has this to say:

"Men who believe in license say that after an experience of four years many persons have come to the conclusion that the existence of the kitchen bar-room and the presence of pocket sellers in all parts of the city show that the law is not enforced, and that it is as easy to make a purchase of so-called liquor now as when the city was licensed and sales were made legally.

"That the police have been very active is shown by the records. Hundreds of raids on places where it was alleged liquor was sold have been made and many persons arrested charged with violating the law. Though police court fines were paid in the majority of cases, there was a very long list at the last session of the Superior Court taken there on appeal.

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Here are the principal features of the Lynn license campaign:

No-License League, whose members begged the Legislature to pass the Bar and Bottle law, must vote Yes in order to be consistent and give the new law a trial.

Authorities would not allow one man to control more than one place. There would be a new deal and a fair deal.

There would be no license in Central Square, nor would licensed places abound on Union Street.

Merchants declare no license has embarrassed municipal departments, raised tax bills and afflicted the people with a going-to-Boston habit that has greatly hurt their business.

"No-License believers say there is no doubt that there are a number of men who sell liquor behind billboards, in alleyways and back of buildings, but that their influence is nothing compared to the saloon, and no matter how active the police, it is evident the sales cannot be wholly stopped.

"In years past a main argument of the No advocates has been that the cost of maintaining the Poor Department of the city was less under No License than when licenses were issued. This year that argument will not be used, as the department has cost more than ever before—this after four years of No License."

Of course, no sensible man would claim that either License or No License has anything to do with the cost of maintaining the Poor Department. But No License leaders in past years have insisted that the cost of the Poor Department was largely the result of the License system.

The cost of the Poor Department having jumped out of all proportion under No License, many taxpayers, especially the small-home owners, are insisting that No License must be to blame for it.

No License has deprived the city treasury yearly of over $100,000 in revenue from license fees. Besides, it has meant the loss to the city each year of $25,000 to $30,000 in water rents and taxes on personal property used in licensed places.

The city needs more revenue. The report of every department shows that if the License system was in operation this needed revenue would be at hand and the city would be saved from much embarrassment.

The firemen and policemen want more pay. The only thing they have got is a promise. How are they going to get the raise when the city hasn't the money to meet the demands that are already at hand? Surely not by continuing a system which deprives the city of about $150,600 annually.

The School Department needs more money. In order to swing it has omitted payment of the teachers for one week. This means that there is $7,500 less in circulation than would have been the case if the School Department had the money it requires.

Because of a lack of money the school teachers of Lynn are held up for $7,500. They are deprived of their legitimate right—yes, of their very birthright, so they say, to make the number of Christmas presents they would like to make.

And as the school teachers suffer to the tune of $7,500 at this time, so do the merchants of Lynn suffer because this money has been withheld from the school teachers.

The action of the School Committee practically amounts to this: Without their consent the school teachers' wages have been seized by the city and the school children have been obliged to take an enforced vacation of an extra week.

No matter what the radical advocates of No License have said, they cannot dodge nor explain away these facts.

City employes have suffered for lack of funds and Lynn tradesmen have suffered because the city has been short of revenue.

Those are the facts. They stick. They cannot be rubbed out. If conditions are bad now along those lines, they will be worse a year from now if the No-License farce is continued.

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BASEBALL MAGNATES OPEN MEETINGS IN NEW YORK TO-DAY

BOSTON AMERICAN SPORTS

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By Tad

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Johnson's Scandal Threat Stirs Baseball Moguls

By W. S. FARNSWORTH.

NEW YORK, Dec. 11—There are enough magnates on Manhattan Isle today to form a new political party. All the hotels along Broadway and Fifth avenue are filled to their capacity by those interested in the horse-hide.

At 10 o'clock this morning the National Commission went into session at the Waldorf-Astoria, while at the same hour the Eastern League magnates convened at the Victoria. These two sessions start a very lively week.

The National Commission will whitewash J. Garland Stahl to-day, so that he can start in on his duties as manager of the Red Sox. He is an ineligible player in the eyes of the commission by virtue of his failing to report last season. He will be dealt with leniently because he entered on a business career while his record is 0. K.

Big Banquet to Be Held.

There is a report that the Red Sox may secure George Mullin's release from Tigers. To-morrow the National League Board of Directors will meet at 12 o'clock noon at the Waldorf-Astoria, general meeting of the club owners at 2 p. m. The board of directors of the American League will go behind closed doors at 10 o'clock at the Hotel Astor, about two hours later the club owners will get together.

On Wednesday there will be a general meeting of the National and American Leagues.

Uncle Ben Shibe, president of the Athletics, owners of the world's championship, will give a banquet to-morrow night to the Baseball Writers' Association, magnates and officials of the Athletic Club are scheduled to commence at 7 p. m. The writer refuses to predict when it will end.

Ticket Scandal to Be Issue.

Late to-morrow afternoon the Baseball Writers' Association will hold their annual meeting.

The most important issues due to come up during the week are the world's series ticket scandal, the advisability of a class AA of the Eastern League, American Association and Pacific Coast League, and the elections of presidents of the National and Eastern Leagues.

A few days ago it looked as though Tom Lynch might have an opponent in the field against him, but this morning everything points to the fact that he will canter under the wire a winner.

Murphy, Ebbetts and Fogel were undecided to be standing out against Lynch, but Murphy has changed and will surely cast his vote for the Cub magnate, while Fogel will do whatever Chubby Charley does. Ebbetts won't be able to do anything by his lonesome and right now it looks as though Lynch will be re-elected unanimously.

Ban Johnson says that he has the goods to prove that speculators secured tickets from the New York club offices and that he knows the guilty parties. He will have to make good or be severely censured by the other members of the commission and the baseball public in general.

B. Biron, however, has always had the faculty of getting away with anything he started, and his followers here are sure that he was pretty safe in charges against the local National League Club.

It would not be surprising if the Boston Braves were sold during the week. Despite the fact that nothing can be legally done until the estate is straightened out, it is understood by the end of the week it will be known who will be in control the coming year.

Will Announce New Managers.

W. H. Watkins, of the Indianapolis American Association Club, is expected to arrive in the city some time this afternoon, with a bid for the Rustlers. He is said to be representing Chicago capitalists who are willing to bid very strongly.

The announcement of new managers of the New York American League team and the Cincinnati Reds is looked for during the next forty-eight hours, while it is also likely that the St. Louis Browns new leader may be made known to the public during the meetings.

Ban Johnson will, undoubtedly, be re-elected president of the Eastern League, and it is possible that it will be for a term of five years. He surely deserves some reward for the big job he undertook and has secured a higher classification of the league.

Tom Lynch says that he will not accept a term of over one year. He is sure of being elected for he has certainly made good.

Baseball Notes

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Dave Fultz will be re-elected secretary-treasurer of the National League at the meeting here to-day. Fultz is no doubt that Fogel, Murphy, and Ebbetts are against Lynch, but a majority of well-posted baseball men is that Lynch will be re-elected for a long term.

Ban Johnson threatens trouble for "Three-Finger" Brown, Bobby Lewis and Owen Shaughnessy, two of the leaguers are playing Winter ball down in Cuba, and Johnson says that Averill, the ineligible Cub pitcher. The erring players have failed to get the National Commission's consent and will have to pay stiff fines if they are declared guilty.

Manager Jake Stahl, of the Red Sox, has signed a new third baseman in Michael Javon, a Wilkesbarre boy, who played with Northampton, of the Connecticut League, last season.

Frank Navin, of Detroit, is negotiating with Hart, the star pitcher, football captain and all round athlete, of the navy.

Former Manager John Ganzel of the Reds doesn't agree with the Cubs in his estimate of Kalamazoo. He drafted Manager Wagner and Pitcher Dan Griner, both good men, for Player Streeter and a cash consideration. Streeter was the only player Kalamazoo got in place, but Kalamazoo people don't like his way of doing things.

Jack O'Connor says it all fixed for a trade between the Naps and Browns whereby Sweall goes to St. Louis in exchange for Rodney Wallace.

President Carson of the Central League says his organization will not follow the example of the National by drafting players. However, he does state that things are being fixed for a good season next year.

Arthur Irwin, scout for the Highlanders, says Chief Meyers is going to be a star backstop and just to prove this he cites the following men: Young McDonough, Boyle Robertson, Bresnahan, Fisher and Daniels. Take the Athletics for instance, they have Lapp, Schang, Walsh, Wyckoff, Pennock, Bender, Coombs, Plank, Krause, Dandelin, Meyers and Barry. Irwin says that Meyers is great, at the strength of the champions of the world.

Eli Kennedy used to run a theatre in Chicago, where was a catch line reading there never would be such a bad performance. After it was seen Eli said he would put on a bad show, but failed to live up to such waivers on you?

Frank Baker says he is going to open a sporting goods store in Philly. He is to be highly recommended for they usually open a set goods emporium.

Reid Ostdiek hasn't as yet signed his contract for 1913 with the Pirates, but expects to have the papers for Pittsburg in New York next week and arrange the terms.

Hans Lobert says few fanners now curves any more and that a straight ball will be as good as in its wide nowadays. Isn't a straight ball with a loop a curve, Hans?

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SCHOOL SEVENS BOOMING HOCKEY

Winter sports have taken a strong hold at all of the high schools. Hockey, basketball and track practice have started and it will not be long before many games will be played daily.

Hockey will be the chief sport among the schoolboys this Winter, and from present indications a most successful season is anticipated. Candidates have been called at most of the schools that will have teams and work has been going on in the gymnasiums.

At the meeting of the Greater Boston Interscholastic Hockey League, held last week over in Cambridge, schedules were drawn up and leagues formed. The game received a setback when Melrose Arlington, Somerville and Rindge dropped out of the Interscholastic League, but teams were found to take their places and this league will have a schedule of games as usual.

It was rather a surprise to the followers of the schoolboy teams that these teams should drop out of the league. Arlington and Melrose each had two legs of the championship cup and by dropping out lose their rights to these.

The league this year will be Interscholastic, with English, High, Boston Latin, Dorchester High and Boston College High. The first game in this league will be played on January 9, between Dorchester and English High, while on the Cambridge Latin, Brookline High, Lexington and Wellesley High compose the Preparatory League, and some great battles are looked for in this league.

Stone School, Medford High, Milton High and Bowne and Nichols will compose the Interpreparatory League. Roxbury Latin was a member of this league last year, but dropped out.

COLLEGE-SCHOOL SPORTING NOTES

PROVIDENCE, Dec. 11—John Russell McKay, captain of last year's football team, and also of last year's basketball team at Brown University, has been appointed coach of the Brown basketball team. Lloyd Thurston Harvey of Newport, of the former Newport Naval Reserve football team, will assist the coach. Mr. Kay, who was one of the greatest halfbacks Brown ever turned out, making the all-American class, his senior year, was a star basketball player. He played forward. McKay comes from Youngstown, O., and since his graduation has been employed by the Youngstown Sheet and Tube General Fire Extinguisher Company in this city, a position which he will continue to hold. Harvey, also a forward, was one of the best men on the crack Newports five.

The Somerville High football team, which defeated the Everett High for second place in the Suburban League, will meet in the Somerville High building tonight and elect a football captain. Reid Doune is considered the most formidable candidate. He played throughout the season, and by the right rules since he defeated the veteran Peter Maher.

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LOWELL FIELDER IS BEST BATTER

Barrows, the Lowell outfielder, leads the New England League at the bat according to the official averages just announced by Jacob C. Morse, the secretary of the league. Barrows hit for .370 in 117 games and had a lead of twenty points over Flaherty, his companion in the Lowell outer garden.

Hendriksen, the Red Sox recruit, also played a few games with the American League from the last of the season was tried in the batting list with an average of .349, but one point behind Flaherty.

These were the hit for 1000 in 117 games:

Name and Club.	G.	H.	SB.	PC.
Barrows, Lowell	117	160	28	.370
Flaherty, Lowell	114	140	23	.350
Hendriksen, Worcester	36	52	3	.349
Bartosh, Worcester	36	42	4	.342
Hall, Worcester	36	42	1	.333
Farrell, Lowell	117	151	16	.332
Russell, Worcester	122	161	18	.332
Lewis, Worcester	36	42	1	.333
Lavigne, Lawrence	78	92	8	.332
Manuel, Brockton	120	147	17	.332
E. Wilson, New Bedford	94	125	7	.331
Mahoney, Lowell	117	147	17	.331
Bentley, Brockton	120	147	17	.331
Boardman, Brockton	120	148	13	.331
Dolan, Lowell	117	146	13	.331
Briggs, Lawrence	104	142	27	.331
Hoffman, Lowell	117	146	13	.331
Hickman, Fall River	116	92	14	.35
Gallagher, Lawrence	104	92	14	.35
Biggs, Lowell	125	98	31	.35
Thomas, New Bedford	94	98	31	.35
Hodgson, Haverhill	112	94	13	.35
Caldwell, Lawrence	94	55	101	.35
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McGovern, Lawrence	94	55	101	.35

NEW REVOLVER RECORD.

SPRINGFIELD, Dec. 11—A new revolver record is announced by Secretary-Treasurer J. B. Crabtree of the United States Revolver Association. Miss Annie Joan A. Dietz of the Manhattan Revolver Club of New York recently scored 475 out of a possible 500 points. The record was made with fifty shots at fifty yards and is regarded as remarkable. It is also was previously held by Dr. I. R. Calkins of this city, who scored 473 on four months ago by J. E. Gorman of San Francisco.

MORRIS VS. WILLIAMS.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 11.—Carl Morris, the Oklahoma giant, will meet Al Williams, a western heavyweight here to-morrow night. After the match he will go to New York, where he will sit himself for the match with Tom Kennedy on December 27. Kennedy believes he can easily outpoint Morris, but the giant may furnish a surprise, as he is improving steadily. The winner of that affair probably will be matched with the winner of the Palzer-Kaufman bout at the National Sporting Club, New York, December 23.

GIANTS BEAT CUBANS.

HAVANA, Dec. 11—The New York Nationals defeated the Almendares baseball team, 6 to 3. This makes the series between the two teams stand six wins and two losses for the Giants.

Basketball Notes

The Metropolitan Five of Boston has organized and is after the fastest fives in the State. The team is made up of veterans at the game under the leadership of Cameron of Winchester. Games are especially desired with the Marys of Franklin, Millbury, Northboro, Southbridge, Oliver Ames, Oxford, Lawrence, Eight Guards, Company I of Plymouth, Glenwood and Spraguer's Five. Manager Joseph Unwin, No. 152 Causeway street, city.

The K. O. K. A. second five has reorganized with an entirely new lineup. The team formerly represented the Boy Scouts. The lineup comprises E. Chamberlain, Monroe, Fraser and E. Chamberlain. The team is under the management of Instructor Hy Abbott, who has developed some of the fastest players in the Boy Scouts. They played one season at Holy Cross. Since entering Brookline they have played all the universal choice as All-South Atlantic. Manager Hy Abbott was chairman.

The Medford High football team, winner of the Suburban League football banner, will be tendered a complimentary banquet Thursday night at the Tufts House. West Medford Captain Edward Brawley and Coach Ralph Kendall are making arrangements for the banquet and the eats are to be given a big reception.

NEW HAVEN, Dec. 10—It has been decided to start the Yale baseball practice next year earlier than usual, probably in February in the old cage back of the gymnasium.

The coaching will be under the direction of Frank Quilty, who was rapped by Dick Merritt early this Fall. Quilty played on the team two years and was elected captain, but did not return to college the following Fall.

WORCESTER, Dec. 11—Louis A. Bringardner, '14, of Columbus, has been elected assistant manager of the Holy Cross football team for next season. The vote between the contestants was very close, Bringardner winning by only two votes over his nearest competitor.

AMERICAN HORSE WINS.

PARIS, Dec. 11—Frank J. Gould's Caron won the Prix Marc Antony at the Autenil race track.

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BOWLING LEAGUE MATCHES TONIGHT

ODD FELLOWS—Mt. Pleasant vs. Zenith, Shawmut vs. Crystal, American vs. Tremont, Everett vs. Cambridge, Atlantic vs. Mt. Auburn at the Adams Square (night).

NEWSPAPER—Five matches at the Adams Square (afternoon).

MERCANTILE—Two matches at the Chauncey.

MALDEN CITY—One match at the Auditorium.

CHELSEA TRADE—One match at the Chelsea Square.

MYSTIC VALLEY—Cabaret at Tuttwando.

MARKET MEN'S—At the New Boston.

FIELD & COWLES (two men)—At the New Boston.

BOND & Meier—At the Brunswick.

COMMERCIAL—At the Old South.

ELITE—At the Elite.

MILTON-MATTAPAN—At the Taylor.

BENNETT A. A. TO HAVE FAST FIVE

The Bennett Athletic Association of Somerville will take a fast five on the floor the coming season. Although it is the first time that the popular organization has been represented by a basketball five, the candidates have shown up remarkably well in practice and are out to cope against the best quintets in New England.

The lineup will be composed of Christ Martes, Tommy Norton, Tommy O'Connell, Frank Grenier and Lanky Mahoney. The latter two named have made quite a reputation on the diamond during the past season. Mahoney being among the leaders in the Canadian League, while Greives was an infielder for the Cincinnati National League club.

Notes of the Alleys

Plenty of good matches are scheduled for tonight on the Greater Boston alleys so that the bowling fun will have no lack coming. The matches in the Newspaper and Odd Fellow Leagues are bound to be full of thrills.

Reports from Portsmouth, N. H., say that Paul Poehler, the Boston crack, has lost interest for his excellent work on the Arcade alleys. In a two-man match against Al Bonner the big bowler has toppled the pins for a total of 1,083 in two strings which is twelve pins over the world's record. In only two strings will he fall below the century mark in the 200 set up.

Bert Young and Henry Stone rolled 125 and 116 respectively for the last Somerville game in the Malden Valley League matches last Tuesday at the Arch street alleys. These boys are two of the most consistent and popular rollers in the league.

The bowling fans in Middleboro are now wearing warm for the championship of the town. Manager Stone of the Newsboy alleys is offering fancy watch fobs for the members of the winning team with special prizes for high scores. So far the All Stars are leading the league composed of shop and mill teams. The standing up to date follows: Athletics, .750, Chuck & Cole, .583, Chauffeurs .500, Crescents .500, Paul Brocks .416, Algers .322, Nemasket .333, C. E. Keiths .250.

Chester Carnish will have his hands full in handling the crowd at the Murray and Irwin-Carnish match Wednesday night. The match is rousing lots of interest in the Lynn bowling circles. Miah Murray's rollers have a fine chance to land in first place, but will have to go some for four points per hourly every five to conceding victory to the Harmony street rollers.

Anchorman Cole of the Elite aggregation now leads the City League rollers in a high individual average with a mark of 109. Milne who had been leading for most part of the early season, has dropped into second place, four points behind Cole. Myers with a high score, 343 was the three-string total against McCarthy last Wednesday night.

BALDWIN AND WELSH MATCHED

Matty Baldwin, the Charlestown "Beaucat," has been matched to meet Freddy Welsh, the former English lightweight champion, in a twenty-round bout at New Orleans on January 14.

The winner of the bout will be recognized as the best lightweight in the country barring Champion Ad Wolgast, who is now recovering from appendicitis.

Alec Morgan, the hustling manager of the Charlestown mitt star, has been dickering with the New Orleans Club for the past few weeks. The Southern promoters at first wanted to match Mandot and Baldwin, but the lightweight from Dixieland said that he could not fight for two months at least on account of an injury to one of his hands.

Baldwin and Welsh met out on the coast last June and the Englishman was awarded the decision, but there were many critics at the ringside who believed that the local Baldwin should have had was a draw.

Baldwin is the only lightweight in the world who ever received a draw with Wolgast since the Cadillac Jimmy fought Battling Nelson at Los Angeles. Matty is a legitimate lightweight. His experience no difficulty in making 133 pounds, in fact, Matty can make as low as 130 if necessary.

There are only a few star lightweights in the country who can make 133 and still be strong. Ad Wolgast, Freddy Welsh, Joe Baldwin, Brown, Welsh and Mandot are the recognized leaders.

Brown has not shown up to advantage in his last few starts in the past few months. He has been defeated by both Matt Wells and the Bostonian Hogan. Welsh met Mandot several weeks ago at Memphis, and although he was the only boy that he had Mandot almost out at the end of the eighth round. Therefore it can readily be seen that the bout between Baldwin and Welsh is the star bout in the lightweight class just now. If Wolgast should retire this winner of this scrap would be recognized as the lightweight champion of the world.

HOCKEY AT MILTON.

The candidates of the Cunningham Gymnasium basketball hold a meeting this evening to elect a captain and manager for the coming season. Ben Fuller, the former Milton High School crack cornerpoint, is a favorite for the position of captaincy, and Emil Zerrahn for manager. Practice will be held this and next week evening, except for a few on Saturday afternoons.

Among the candidates are the following former high school stars: Smith, Johnson, forward; W. Forbes, forward; Lester Forbes, forward; Emerson, forward; Fuller, center point; Marchant, point; and Sears, goal.

McVEY DEFEATS LESTER.

BRISBANE, Queensland, Dec. 11.—Sam McVey of California, heavyweight champion pugilist of Australia, defeated Jack Lester of Cape Town, Washington, to-day, in the eighth round. McVey outclassed his opponent in every round, which was scheduled to go ten rounds. Lester showed plenty of pluck and took an unusual amount of punishment about the head and ribs. But McVey had the better of the contest from start to finish. In September last, McVey defeated Lester in 3 days in a twenty-round bout for the championship of Australia. Lester has fought and won a few weeks before from Bill Lang.

THREE NAPS RELEASED.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 11.—Pitchers "Cy" Falkenberg, Marshall and Catcher Alexander Dave Callahan have been released by Manager Harry Davis of the Cleveland baseball team. Falkenberg is a Canadian boy, who has been with the Cleveland team for three years, will go to Toledo, where he may be appointed manager. Winchell goes to Dayton, Callahan to New Orleans and Reidell to New Haven.

DE ORO TO DEFEND TITLE.

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—Alfred De Oro begins the defence of his three-cushion billiard title at Doyle's Academy tonight, playing John Daly, from whom he won the championship. The title will play 1500 points in blocks of fifty for three nights. There is a purse of $2,500 up.

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BACK ROOSEVELT IN WAR AGAINST TAFT

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—Led by Walter Brown, chairman of the Ohio State Central Committee, a group of energetic Ohioans gathered in Washington on the eve of the meeting of the Republican National Committee to make an insistent fight against the renomination of President Taft.

These Ohioans have formed the nucleus for a greater and rapidly growing group of committeemen from States East and West, and their activities in the past eight hours have been very disquieting to the administration.

The effect on outside delegates of a revolt against Taft in his own State is profound. Brown and his allies have been satisfied thusly. Everything that they have to say—and they are all outspoken—is listened to with attention.

Despite the administration's efforts through the agency of Postmaster-General Hitchcock, to counteract the Ohio movement, it has been steadily gathering force, and by the hour fixed for calling the committee meeting to order, the administration group will be in a position will be entirely beyond control even of the cohesive power of presidential patronage.

Program Agreed On.

With Brown were Dan R. Hanna, son of the late boss of the whole party; Malcolm Karcher of Columbus, a former State committeeman, and others.

As a result of the many conferences held to-day, the following program seems to have been agreed upon:

Chicago will get the national convention apparently beyond a reasonable doubt, and it probably will be held the last week in June.

There will be no fight for the chairmanship of the committee this time. Former Governor John F. Hill of Maine, the vice-chairman, will be elected to serve until the presidential nomination is made. William Hayward, formerly of Nebraska but now of New York, will continue as secretary. After the convention a chairman and other officers agreeable to the candidate will be elected by the new committee.

The question of selecting delegates at presidential primaries, or by the customary delegate conventions, will be left entirely to the various States to determine for themselves. President Taft is said to have favored this disposition of the matter.

The settlement of this question "out court" is said to have been agreeable to the Roosevelt supporters, as the primary system, if adopted at this time, might cut off the possibility of nominating the former President for a second elective term.

Roosevelt Movement.

At Presidential primaries the voters would be called upon to support certain announced candidates. This would mean, as the situation now appears, a choice between President Taft and Senator La Follette of Wisconsin.

No attempt is being made here to disguise the fact that there is a well defined movement in favor of the nomination of Colonel Roosevelt.

The men behind this movement feel that their hope of success lies in working up the proper amount of sentiment between now and the time of the convention. They do not believe the situation, as they would like it, will have time to crystallize prior to the holding of primary elections by certain of the Western States.

Thus, States where they would look for the strongest Roosevelt sentiment might be compelled to record their preference for some other candidate. Neither do they believe that Colonel Roosevelt could be induced to announce himself as a candidate and thus permit votes to be cast for him. His nomination, they say, must come through an outburst of enthusiasm at the convention itself.

The idea of the Ohio insurgents is to insure the holding of Presidential preference primaries. This the administration men oppose violently.

Mr. Brown and his allies say that Mr. Taft's friends are afraid that primary-chosen delegates will take the President's whole State delegation away from him, but they assert Mr. Taft ought to be willing to submit to a test which will prove unfailingly whether or not he is, after four years in the highest office in the people's gift, still the favorite son of his own State.

Mr. Brown is backed by a majority of the State Committee.

Hitchcock to Help.

Through the gloom that overhung the friends of Mr. Taft one ray of light filtered this morning. That came with the announcement that Postmaster-General Hitchcock, who gathered the Southern delegations for Mr. Taft four years ago, would get in touch with Taft committeemen privately and tell them what to do.

Hitchcock had previously announced that he was to have no hand in making the pre-convention campaign, but Saturday he either sent for committeemen, or they called on him voluntarily, and with all of them he held long and earnest conferences.

Not the least of the President's troubles is caused by the fact that his tiff with Majority Leader Mann, Republican boss on the floor of the House of Representatives, on the President since last Summer, and said recently that he didn't intend to call on him again.

News of this unpleasantness is being diligently circulated among the visiting leaders, and is giving them added excitement against trying up-State delegations for the President.

Many Anti-Taft Men.

The discovery that more than half the leaders were by no means Taft men, brought about a tense situation. Every effort was made by friends of the administration to take control, but without success.

When an attempt is made to take a poll the committeemen refuse to talk, and they are very wary about committing themselves except in close conferences. Even then they are very reticent as to when they are talking, for none of them cares to risk incurring the enmity of the administration, or provoking a racket that will hurt Republican chances.

LANGEVIN AND WIFE TO PART

PARIS, Dec. 10.—Although the suit for separation brought by Mme. Langevin against her husband is scheduled to come up Wednesday, it is said here on reliable authority that an amicable agreement has been concluded already between his wife and Prof. Langevin, whom she accuses of being the affinity told of in Mme. Curie, the noted woman scientist.

According to this agreement Mme. Langevin is to be granted a separation, which the tribunal pronounced in her favor. She is to be allowed $140 a month alimony. The custody of the children is to be given to their mother until the girls are of age. Their father will have the right to visit them at stated times. The boys will be in their mother's charge until they are fifteen years old; then they will choose the parent with whom they will live.

So it is not likely that the suit will be tried. This agreement will be formally entered without hearing testimony.

MITCHELL NOT ON CHELSEA LIST

John Mitchell, vice-president of the American Federation of Labor, declared to-day in Providence that he had no intention of going to Chelsea to take part in the no-license fight in that city.

"I have no engagement to speak for the no-license people in Chelsea to-night," he said, when told that he had been billed to address a "No" rally there under the auspices of the Chelsea Women's Club. "This is the first intimation that I have had that I was so scheduled to speak.

"Does this declaration result from any request made to you by the executive committee of the Chelsea Women's Club, or the Boston Bartenders' Union, both bodies having voted to urge you to refrain from making such an address?" he was asked.

"No." he replied emphatically. "It wouldn't make the slightest difference to me who might condemn, or who might praise me, for speaking on any moral question that I thought it necessary to address the public on, if I thought it my duty to speak.

"I simply means that I have no engagement to break to Chelsea to-night on the no-license question, in fact, that is the first intimation that I have had that I was expected to be there."

Mr. Mitchell refused to make further comment on the incident, and it was declared that he hadn't anything further to say on the McNamara case.

"Immediately following the plea of guilty by the McNamara brothers at Los Angeles, I made brief mention of my views on the matter. I see nothing to be gained by a reiteration of that statement, and have nothing I wish to add to what I said at that time."

ENGINEERS SCALDED SAVING PASSENGERS

PORTLAND, Me., Dec. 11.—The steamer Merryconeag was in collision during a fog with the British schooner Palmetto, lying at anchor between Jones and Great Diamond Islands, and the steamer getting decidedly the worst of it. The schooner's bowsprit swept the deck of the steamer, taking away her superstructure and breaking a big, three-inch auxiliary steam pipe. Engineer Walter H. Franklin crawled out on his hands and knees and managed to shut off the steam, although he was considerably burned. There were about thirty passengers aboard.

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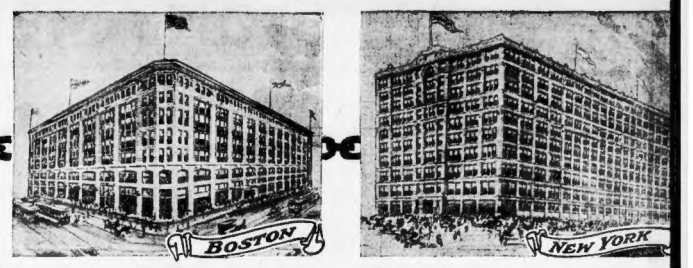

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Fleece lined automobile gauntlets, with English cut thumbs. 4-HOUR SPECIAL—9 to 1 ..... $1.25
Main Floor

Boys' $1.00 Gloves
Fleece lined kid and mocha gloves. 4-HOUR SPECIAL—9 to 1..... 69c
Main Floor

Children's $1.00 Gloves
Fleece lined gray mocha mittens. 4-HOUR SPECIAL—9 to 1..... 50c
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Women's $1.25 Kid Gloves
One-clasp P. K. kid gloves, in tan, black and white. 4-HOUR SPECIAL—9 to 1..... $1.00
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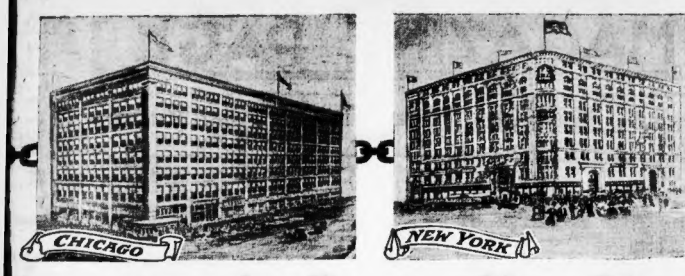

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FOUR CHILDREN IDEAL FAMILY

By J. C. KERRIGAN

Three are mothers and mothers.
Wise mothers and non-mothers.

There is the brooding maternal spirit that persists its own life to be eclipsed by the life of the child, and by so doing hurts the child's individuality and its own. Such are the non-mothers, according to Mrs. Jessica Garrison Finch, president of the Equal Franchise Society of New York and founder of a school much frequented by fashionable young women.

Then there is the wise maternal spirit that feels a natural joy in continuing its own life in another, but that does not sink itself in its children—far better children than come to the non-mother, whose checks, Mrs. Finch believes, are very apt to be spoiled.

Before Mrs. Finch made her analysis of the mother spirit she had told the members of the Equal Franchise Society that four children constitute the ideal family.

"When the modern mother has reared a family of four children she has done quite as much as her grandmother did when she reared from nine to twelve or fourteen boys and girls," she said, "Families of six and even seven fourteen children were not unusual years ago, for then large families were necessary to replenish the world, but two, three or four babies are all we can allow the modern mother. The death rate years ago was so much greater than it is now that the modern family, in spite of its small number in the beginning, is equal to the old-fashioned family in the end.

Three Classes of Mothers.

"It must be admitted that many women to-day are not as adequate to the care of their homes and children as they should be," said Mrs. Finch, "but even when women have entered into their duties into their tasks, as mothers and housekeepers, the wise does not always fill their time and energy. Household engineering has become so simple, so perfect. With gas, vacuum cleaner, the fireless cooker and other modern conveniences housekeeping has become a comparatively simple affair.

"So far as the world is concerned, women may be divided into three classes. The very poor, who have a great many children, so many that even child comprehension more and more the others' future, and their individual burden on a father already too much oppressed.

"A certain fortunately small class of selfish and luxurious women who refuse motherhood altogether because they don't want to take even a year from the pursuit of amusement and entertainment.

"Between the poor women who has too many children and the woman of leisure who has none of all, there is a happy mean, the mother of two, three or four children, whom they can educate to useful ages. To this class belongs the largest class of the three.

Wealth Before Marriage.

"In every American city there is a small circle where the young girls are so foolish that they expect to marry only men who have acquired riches, instead of beginning with small means and working and making a future for him. And where the young man thinks it is unfair to propose to a girl unless it is possible to offer her everything to which she has been surrounding her accustomed her.

"If such young people existed in large numbers they might be considered a social menace, and there are pretty very few of them.

"Do you know," Mrs. Finch asked, suddenly, "that there are probably more supported dependents in the United States than in any other country in the world. Throughout history the normal woman has always been self-supporting. The supported woman is an abnormality."

"Then we have an abnormal women than any other nation?" was suggested, in the sense that we have more wealth who give no equivalent for their support?"

"Yes, and more. More abnormal women because more supported women, and the amount of leisure that many of our women have is abnormal for the average people. Golf, auto play ing and to many other forms of extravagance.

"Don't you think the extravagance of idle women is responsible for the flight of the American business life? That, American business women's world not fixed to work as hard and would have more time for their homes and children if their wives were not extravagant in their demands?"

Father and the "Hen-Mother."

"I think the extravagance of a certain type of women is one of the causes of the overworking of husbands and fathers," Mrs. Finch replied. "Overtaxing the overworked men as well as our professional and business women have no time to become spiritual fathers to their children. All their energies go, under present conditions, to supplying coal and clothes and food.

"The child whose father is absorbed entirely by his business and who has a hen mother is sure to be very much handicapped in its development."

"What is a hen-mother?" I asked.

"A hen-mother," Mrs. Finch answered, "is a woman who misses the best part of maternal spirit, who flutters constantly about her brood without having the wisdom to direct them. Too often the flutter is inimical to the development of the child.

"Give me a girl who is a failure in life, and I will show you that that girl's mother pampered her. She is the kind of mother that never takes a real interest in her daughter, makes the girl conscious of the dependence until she grows incapable of expanding.

"The mother of my acquaintance has settled herself with her daughter to get away from the restlessness which is so pronounced in the United States.

"So here we have the formula for a happy family: Take two, three or four children, and let the wisdom you can summon to bringing them up, but don't flutter about them. Realize that you have a mind and a life apart from them and that they have minds and lives apart from you.

HANGS FROM WINDOW LEDGE WITH PRISONER

Patrolman Haggerty of the City Hall Avenue station "hung to his man" during a pandemic held at No. 35 Court street even while he was being pulled through a second-story window. Haggerty saw the man as the latter jumped and grasped him by the rear collar as he was about to fall to the pavement below. The man's weight was too much for him to manage. Suddenly his feet slipped from the floor and the patrolman was disappearing head first through the window when Sergeant Berry and Patrolman Trayers saw him. They grabbed the prisoner's trousers and, fearfully, still clinging with a death-like grip to his man's collar, was dragged back into the building. Seven men were arrested.

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THE AMERICAN'S MAGAZINE PAGE

The Manicure Lady

She Talks About Winning a Silver Cup at Golf

"A LOT of vain asked "I always f the Head Bark a lot to be va kind of modest. "Oh, nothing Lady, "only like other day to ha seems he has jus cup for playing t newspaper man is goodness, George, me and moved when silver cup would thump.

"I don't know cept that Wilfred thing like educated be some game who boys like Mister Dor to win silver cups. how he came to win he had two or three out, but he said he player, meaning that nerves or his heart wi hard and close. He to Tad's brother."

"What difference do brother he is?" asked "as long as he can win

"I don't suppose it ference," replied the Manic I guess he wanted me t came from an illustrious t me that it was his brothe them Daffodils, like 'If a Chinese Dow ager Loves to Chew the Re w. What Would a Manchu'

"There's no use talking. George, brains is brains, and I'm glad to b her that Tad's brother won that cup. Most young brothers is up against it wi ys they have famous older brothers, like the case of Bob Dailey. All the manag was used to say, 'Why, yes, to be sure, I know Bob. He is Peter Dailey's brother.'

"Now I know something," an th the Head Barber. "Now I know why It is that your brother, Wilfred, never t ot no real fame. He was the young brot her of the reverent girl that I have ever met."

"I wouldn't go so far as to say that," confessed the Manicure Lady, with all due humility. "I know that Wilfred gets kind of jealous sometimes when he hears about my popularity and my success, but I don't think that he cares a lot after all, just so I have enough of them dicats in my pocketbook so I can make him feel that it ain't going to be such a long and hard Winter after all.

"That's one thing I gotta admit about Wilfred. He never begrudges one of his relatives any success as long as he knows that they can cash enough of the success to declare him in on the kale-fifty-fifty.

"You're getting too slangy for me to talk to you," declared the Head Barber. "Declare him on the kale, fifty-fifty." That's a fine line of talk for a young lady to spread out. Just between you and I, if I was a girl I would ta ke better care of my English."

"Well, George," snapped the Manicure Lady, "I may be a little slangy, but I have never sank so low as to say 'Between you and I.' If I didn't know enough to say 'Between me and you,' I wouldn't talk at all."

"Married Life the Second Year" is now a regular feature of the Sunday AMERICAN. Don't miss the instalment of Mrs. Urner's interesting series in the Sunday AMERICAN

Care and System

THE two city councillors were on a tour of inspection.

"This street, now," said Councillor No. 1, "seems all right. What had we better do?"

"Um!" Councillor No. 2 pondered. "Couldn't we have it up and lay a sewer?"

"Yes, yes. But wouldn't it be better to have it made up first?" suggested No. 1.

"Certainly." Councillor No. 2 quite agreed. "Then after it's paved we'll have the sewer put in, and then it can be repaved."

"That's it. Everything will be ready then for laying the gas pipes. But after that? What ought to be done when all's straight again?"

"By that time," Councillor No. 2 said thoughtfully, "the street ought to be ready for widening."

"Good! An excellent idea! We'll make a memorandum of that," said No. 1.

Then they shook hands joyfully.

"After all," murmured No. 2, "there is nothing so essential in municipal economy, nothing so important, as care and system in the improvement of our roadways."

BAD MARKSMAN

"I always aim to tell the truth," remarked the man who talks twice and thinks once.

"Yes," rejoined his friend; "but you remind me of a woman in that respect."

"How's that?" queried the party of the prelude.

"You seldom hit what you aim at," was the reply.

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How to Keep Young and Pretty—By Mlle. Gaby Deslys

No. 6—Choosing Your Hat

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THESE pictures show Mlle. Gaby Deslys wearing a few of her stylish hats to illustrate the rules laid down in the article written by her below, on how to choose a hat that will be most becoming to you. Here are a few of the rules:

The wrong hat is like an eclipse; it extinguishes your face.

Whatever the color of the hat is, I insist that the facing shall make a contrast to my hair.

It is well to choose a hat faced with the color against which your hair and skin come out most effectively.

Unless a woman's complexion is clear, or her color good, she should not wear heavy black hats; they look, then, so funereal and depressing.

If I had to choose between an ugly gown and an unbecoming hat, I would choose the ugly gown, and insist on having the prettiest hat I could get.

You can cheer yourself wonderfully by wearing a touch of the color most becoming to you.

By GABY DESLYS.

IF I had to choose between an ugly gown and an unbecoming hat, and if some dreadful fate forced me to wear one or the other, I should wear the ugly gown, and insist on having the prettiest hat I could get.

For with a good looking hat on my head I feel that I can carry off even an unbecoming frock. But the wrong hat is like an eclipse—it extinguishes your face; this season it literally does that, and then where are you?

I am appalled at the way some women buy their hats. They go into a shop, put on something that is already made, never look at themselves critically to get a back view, and walk out with it. Of course, I've been ill myself, and I know how much I am feeling bored or annoyed with something, and I look that way when I try on the new hat, I argue. If the hat is becoming when my hair is tousled and my face none too pleasant in expression, it very important matter as she should before choosing a hat is a momentous affair, and, no matter how many hats you have, each new one ought to be sought and bought as if it were the most important event of one's life. No matter how pretty you are, if you are wearing an unbecoming hat you might just as well have no looks at all.

I have a few rules that I go by when I buy hats and I will note them on to you.

Before I try on a new hat I rumple up my hair, so that it does not look well and is, in fact, quite unbecoming. I try to choose a day, one of my "off" days, when I am feeling bored or annoyed with something, and I look that way when I try on the new hat, I argue. If the hat is becoming when my hair is tousled and my face none too pleasant in expression, it should be truly ravishing when I am feeling well and gay. Would you believe that little tishy was such a wise person?

Whatever the color of the hat is, I insist that the facing shall make a contrast to my hair, or that it shall be exactly the same color and melt into the blonde of the hair. The hat must be a sort of background, and for big evening hats it is well to choose a hat faced with the color against which your hair and skin come out most effectively.

A great deal of green is worn this Winter, and it's a stunning color, I think, but only, oh my, with the very pale blonde, whose complexion is yellowish, and whose hair looks a brilliant color, why will she put this green hat upon her head and so extinguish any pretense to beauty? For the same reason, I suppose, that the girl who looks like a little mouse, with drab colored hair and a complexion with grayish tints in it, insists on wearing a drab bonnet without a redeeming touch of color, or else something in purple.

There are all kinds of beautiful blue shades for the girl who is sallow, and there are pinks and reds to give color to the drab tones of sallow skins. The greys are for the pure blondes with pink cheeks or the dusky brunettes, and both of them can wear all black hats effectively, but unless a woman's complexion is clear or her color good she should not wear heavy black hats, I think, for I have noticed that they look funereal and depressing, and, oh, so melancholy, when they droop over a sallow disconsolate visage beneath.

You can cheer yourself up wonderfully by wearing a touch of the color most becoming to you on your hat, like the plume of King Henry of Navarre. It will always be in the thickest of the fight, and is a badge of courage and beauty.

HICTANER

The Man That Lived in the Water—One of the Strangest Stories Ever Written

By Jean de la Hire

TO-DAY'S INSTALMENT

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PART I.—(Continued)

BUT Molsette was not in the mood of reverie or the powers.

Molsette was at the Lost Isle in the sole possession of Orus and Fulbert. No human being at liberty knew it. No one could reveal the diabolical truth to Hictaner.

On the other hand, the powers could not yield to the ultimatum. On the other, Hictaner had no way of learning the truth.

He persisted in demanding Molsette of those who could not give her up.

Reverse, for his part, was bent upon combating Orus and Fulbert in order to gain Molsette, whom he knew without proofs to be in their possession.

Therefore it was a struggle which must end in the destruction of one adversary or the other.

The reward of victory to Reverse would not even be Molsette, since Orus and Fulbert were resolved to bury themselves with her in the Lost Isle if Hictaner were killed and the island taken.

For Hictaner the reward would be Molsette, but only when Orus and Fulbert were masters of the world.

Fulbert's plan showed the genius of the man. He scouted the sentimental of that terrible Lucifer who, according to the Scriptures, fought against God and was only half conquered, since there remained to him one empire, the empire of hell.

As soon as word had come from the Balearics that Hictaner was speeding to the Lost Isle without delay, Fulbert and Orus had carried out the first part of their plan to conceal Vera and Molsette, together with their servants, so that no human being could betray their presence.

A Little Drama.

Therefore Vera and Molsette, with the young negress, Dora, had been shut in a secret apartment back of Orus's bedroom, the only communication between which being by a little hidden door. Mrs. Martha had been relegated to another secret apartment behind Fulbert's room with her servant, Baucis.

The negro, Selpha, whose discretion was to be relied upon, had been told by his master of these arrangements.

Twice a day he took enough to feed the five women from the table prepared for Orus and Fulbert and took the food himself to them in two different baskets.

There is no use to here describe the anguish, anxiety and wretchedness of Molsette's life, nor the sober resignation of Vera's, for their existence had no particular bearing upon events.

However, a scene in Mme. Martha's life must be narrated because it was destined to have both terrible and happy consequences.

The little drama was enacted by three persons.

One the unconscious actor, Fulbert, and the two who listened stupefied, Mme. Martha and Baucis.

Its double scene was Fulbert's bedroom, and the little salon of Mme. Martha's apartment.

It took place on the night following that day when Orus and Fulbert had so received Hictaner who likely drowned, and when the ultimatum had been drawn up while the marshals put his Torpedo in commission.

A clock in an ivory frame in Mme Martha's room had just struck midnight. The poor woman was half reclining in a deep, easy chair, going over in her mind the tangle complications of her life.

The faithful Baucis was seated on a cushion at her feet, working mechanically at an interminable piece of embroidery. The electric light in the ceiling fell from the ceiling upon the two silent women.

Behind the wall on which the clock hung a noise was heard.

"The father is going into his room," Baucis whispered.

Madame shuddered.

The slightest sound in Fulbert's room adjoining, could be heard in the little salon.

This phenomenon of acoustic was not due to a thin partition wall, for on the contrary, it was some twenty inches thick! But as often happens in natural grottoes, the wall was of porous, spongy stone, all the more audibly inside, which gave it an enormous resonance.

From the first day Mme. Martha and Baucis had noted this characteristic of their corner chambers, but, with that instinct of cunning latent in all women, they had not spoken of it to Fulbert, who, they thought, would be very pale blonde, whose complexion is yellowish, and whose hair looks a brilliant color, why will she put this green hat upon her head and so extinguish any pretense to beauty? For the same reason, I suppose, that the girl

Another long silence, then the voice went on, a little less distinctly.

"Listen, Orus, this is what we must do. Molsette will be hidden here—in the rooms back of yours. Martha will be pinned at the side behind mine. No one will know, and then we shall be free to act. Listen, this is my plan."

Then, minutely, with all the precise details, the sleeper revealed without knowing it all his most terrible projects.

He went over his conversation with Hictaner, he told his crazy hopes.

Martha, almost beside herself, listened to the somnambulist's voice, now strong, rapid and jerking, now low and indefinite.

For more than two hours the priest talked in his troubled sleep, making great jumps in the narrative. He touched upon the theft of Martha's son in the convent, the work of vivisection at Cabeers Isle. Then he bounded forward.

He anticipated the destruction of fleets and the conquest of the world beneath his iron hand.

Baucis did not comprehend.

But Martha understood only too well.

She listened gasping, half-fainting as she clung to the wall, and listened to these frightful revelations.

Hictaner, ah, she had guessed that he was her son—her son.

A cold sweat stood out on her forehead. Her eyes glittered feverishly. Her heart beat furiously and through her head throbbed awful thoughts, constantly fed by the priest's words.

The Noise of a Fall

Then, suddenly, a loud cry came from beyond the wall, followed by a sharp creak of the mattress and the noise of a fall.

Then there was a fresh outburst of anger, another creak of the mattress, then long and regular breathing.

"The father has awakened," said Baucis. "He fell from his bed, they went to sleep again."

When Baucis turned to her mistress she was terrified. Madame Martha had a face whose pains painted in it an inexpressible tenseness.

"Baucis, Baucis," the poor woman moaned. "My son must be saved. He must be saved. Crimes must be prevented. Blood! Ah, Molsette!"

And Baucis caught the unconscious Martha in her arms.

The next morning at 9 o'clock Orus, Fulbert and Hictaner were seated in the laboratory before the basin used for repairing the Torpedo.

"How many torpedos?" asked the priest. "A complete charge," said Orus. "Sixty."

"The case of provisions?"

"Full."

"The electric batteries?"

"All fresh."

"Then, is everything ready?"

"Everything."

"Yes, everything," said Hictaner. "I am going to carry out—"

"Here is the ultimatum, my son," the priest said, handing a little silver box hermetically closed, to Hictaner.

"He cautions."

To be Continued To-morrow.

"Hictaner" is running serially in the daily and Sunday AMERICAN. A liberal instalment of this remarkable mystery novel will be printed in Sunday's AMERICAN.

Wage Earning After Marriage

By DOROTHY DIX

ONE of the curious problems that modern social conditions have interjected into matrimony is the right—or advisability—of the wage-earning women to continue to follow a gainful occupation after marriage.

Of course, if the woman is of a domestic disposition, and her taste naturally runs to pots and pans, and if she marries a man who is well-to-do, and amply able to comfortably support her, the question settles itself.

There are, however, many women who have no turn for cooking and sewing and scrubbing, and to whom the very name of housework is Anathema, but who have the money-making talent keenly developed, and who breathe best in the atmosphere of store or office. There are also many other women who marry delightful men who have every other charming virtue except the instinct for getting on in the world.

Should the woman who loathes to cook and loves to keep books be forced to cook merely because she gets married? Should the woman who can earn fifty dollars a week outside of her home be forced to do the work that any three-dollar domestic could do better than she can? Should the woman who has spent years of time and thousands of dollars perfecting herself to follow some calling abandon her profession and throw away all of the effort and money just because she takes a husband?

Should the woman who is capable of earning enough money to give herself all the comforts of life be forced to go on half rations, and do without all of the refinements and luxuries she might have, simply because she is married to a man who doesn't get a cent, but whose pride will be hurt if his wife works outside of the family circle?

In short, must a woman choose between love and husband and home, or business, unless she happens to have the luck to be domestic herself and marry a prosperous man?

Hard Questions

These be hard questions to answer, and I, for one, shall not attempt to solve the problem, which, after all, is one of those individual ones that each couple must settle for itself.

In one way it seems a foolish economic waste for a woman to fit herself for an occupation that she probably will not follow more than three or four years, and not even that long if she happens to have appealing blue eyes and a peachy complection. It is also cynically amusing to reflect on the quality of a man's love who is perfectly willing for his wife to follow an uncongenial and exhausting line of work in the home in order to help him, but who is ashamed for people to see her doing some easy and agreeable work outside of the home. Nor, in strict justice, is there any more reason why a married woman has less right to follow the occupation in which she is happiest and most skillful than a married man has.

Nobody suggests that Mr. Jones should give up being a commercial traveler and become a tailor, or a baker, just because he is married. Why should Mary Smith, who is a cracker-jack saleswoman, be turned into a cook just because she enters the holy estate?

On the other hand there is, of course, the traditional and conventional view of the subject, that home isn't home unless a woman is chained to the kitchen range, and I have a letter from a woman who calls herself "An Old-Fashioned Wife," who ably sets forth this side of the matter. She writes:

"Does a husband feel flattered in the knowledge that his wife can earn a good week's pay? Is he delighted to have the world know that she does? Is a home, where all the duties of housekeeping are done by a hireling, alluring to him? Is it not merely a boarding place for two blasted off for the public? Is home a home in the sense of the good old days, when women forsake the sacred fireside for the fleshpots, and to whom the very name of housework is Anathema, but who have the money-making talent keenly developed, and who breathe best in the atmosphere of store or office. There are also many other women who marry delightful men who have every other charming virtue except the instinct for getting on in the world.

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What of the Mother?

What is to become of this dear, sweet old institution known as home if the mother, who should be its queen, is hanging over a typewriter or ledger all her years? What is to become of the little ones who see their mother only long enough to kiss her good night?"

All of these problems, except the one involved in the question of the children, are easily solved. As for a home not being alluring that is run by a competent servant, it is likely to be a lot more attractive than one that is conducted by a blundering wife. We are getting a long way from the superstition that there was some magic in mother's touch that made everything she did better than what anybody else did, and there are mighty few of us now who would be willing to risk our lives on mother's bread and mother's pies. We prefer the output of a sanitary scientific bakery.

Also the time is passing in which men hold to the arrogant notion that a woman must be inferior to a man and dependent upon him, and with it will come a husband's joy in his wife's success and her ability to do things outside of the home. When that glad day arrives a man's vanity will not be hurt by knowing that his wife earns her own money and helps along the family. Also in selecting a wife a man will look out for a companion more than he does for a cook.

The kitchen and the drawing room can take care of themselves, but the nursery is another matter. No incubator can take the place of a mother's breast, no trained governess is a substitute for the brooding mother love of even an ignorant woman, and when there are babies in a household everything should be sacrificed to their needs. They are a mother's career, and they are her pay envelope.

But this question of the right of a woman to work after marriage is one that should never disturb the home circle. In the first place, unless a man is able to support a family so that his wife doesn't feel the need of earning money, he has no right to ask a woman to marry him. And, in the second place, if a girl lacks domesticity and isn't willing to give up her work and make a home for a man, she has no right to marry.

The only exception to this rule is when a couple are broadminded enough to discuss the matter before marriage and to have a thorough understanding that each is to pursue his or her calling after marriage, and that they are to be pals and comrades, and preserve their financial independence. I have known many couples who have done this and who are happy and contented, although they live in boats, and the woman makes money instead of the man.

Table Favors for Brides

THERE are fascinating new favors for the table of the bride, and many of these a clever girl can copy or find suggestive for newer ideas.

One of the prettiest effects in place cards are miniature bride's bouquets of the silver variety. These are in tiny artificial lilies of the valley, orange blossoms and maiden hair, the whole smaller than a man's boutonniere, and tied in the MIN is gauze ribbon are the narrow name cards.

Similar bouquets can easily be copied in garden flowers, but may be made a trifle larger.

Another flower effect is a small frame made of orange blossoms closely pasted to silver paper. In it is a fancy picture of a bride, or, better, an enlarged kodak of the bride and groom.

Quite a novel favor is a doll's head covered to the top of a deep paper box shaped like a miniature round hat box. This is covered with silver paper or silvered white tissue paper, and the doll is draped with a tulle veil and wreath of tiny orange blossoms.

A pretty set of place cards prepared by a clever girl was tiny prints of well-known paintings of brides and wedding parties. These were framed in broad silver paper and hung from a small silvered pole on a base. At the top of the pole with a bunch of orange blossoms and the name of the guest was written across the bottom of the frame. The poles could easily be made from a small drugstick painted silver or in half a large spool.

All sorts of fascinating place cards are painted to order in water colors. Some of the newest are the bride cutting the cake, and for a military wedding she can be using the sword while her adoring spouse looks on by in full uniform. Often just the head of the bride is used and cut out so it stands above an oblong card of water color paper.

A pretty candy box place card is in heart shape covered with white satin with a bunch of orange blossoms on top, from which peeps a diminutive Cupid.

Another novelty are small slippers of silver paper or white satin with the sequin buckle. A pair may be made of the thin white silk of chiffon and the slipper be filled with candled violets or mint leaves.

Pretty basket effects in chip or white twisted paper with a border of artificial flowers can be used for favors cute or for individual salted nuts. Equally pretty for either purpose are small baskets with deep handles made of silver paper, the handle tied with orange blossoms and gauze ribbon.

Race Coats Now

WE have had polo coats and top coats and motor coats, but if you spoke correctly now of the heavy mannish garments that women are wearing you call them race coats. They are made of heavy fabric, such as English suiting and Scotch plaid. They are plain or in shadow plaids, and many of them are reversible. Those who cannot afford the handsome double-faced woolens can use the ordinary cheviots and line them with colored cashmere or thin cloth.

Made from the fresh nuts
prepared at the bakery.
Baked in a way that retains all their flavor.
Get them for Xmas.
Three kinds—Cocoanut, Chocolate, Almond.
DRAKES
At your grocers
Macaroons

The Dingbat Family

Anyway, It Might Have Been Mary's Trunk

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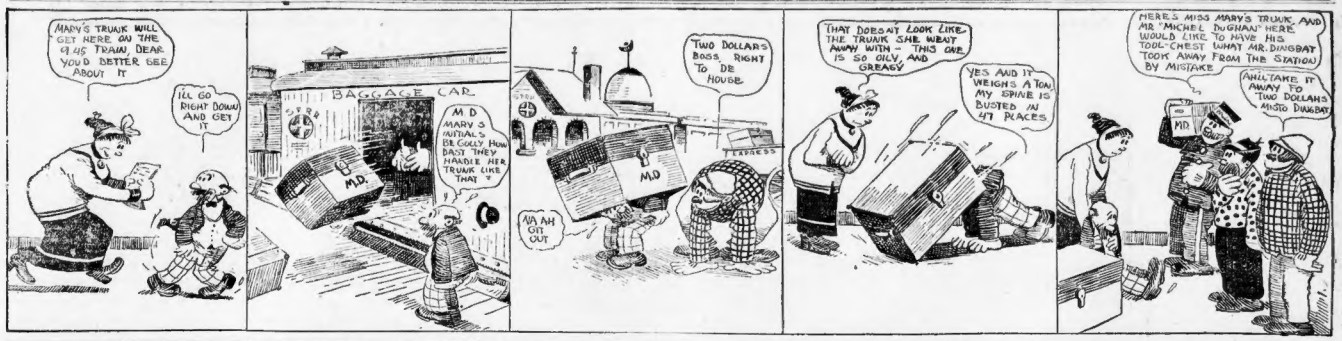
By Herriman


MARY'S TRUNK WILL GET HERE ON THE 9:15 TRAIN, DEAR. YOU'D BETTER SEE ABOUT IT
I'LL GO RIGHT DOWN AND GET IT
BAGGAGE CAR
M D
MARY'S FATHER'LL BE GOLLY HOW PAST THEY HANDLE HER TRUNK LIKE THAT !
TWO DOLLARS BOSS, RIGHT TO DE HOUSE.
EXPRESS
THAT DOESN'T LOOK LIKE THE TRUNK SHE WENT AWAY WITH — THIS ONE IS SO OILY, AND GREASY
YES AND IT WEIGHS A TON MY SPINE IS BUSTED IN 47 PLACES
HERE'S MISS MARY'S TRUNK, AND MR MICHAEL DuGHAN HERE WOULD LIKE TO HAVE HIS TOOL-CHEST (WHAT MR. DINGBAT TOOK AWAY FROM THE STATION BY MISTAKE.
AHA! TAKE IT AWAY FOR TWO DOLLARS AND TO DINGBAT
MD
AH AH GIT OUT
SWAP
NO MORE KAT

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Desperate Desmond

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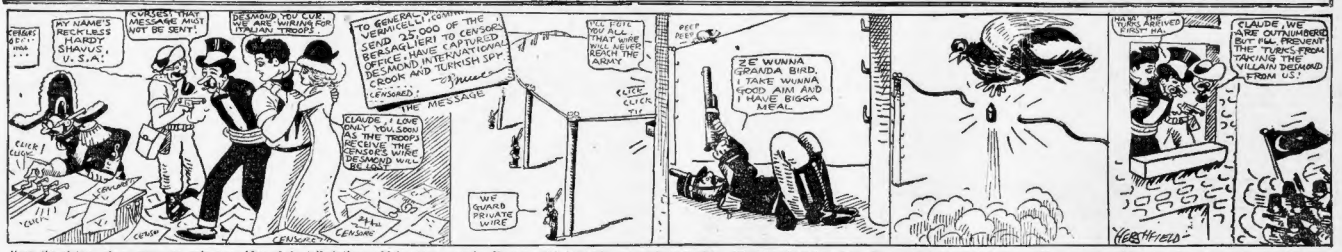
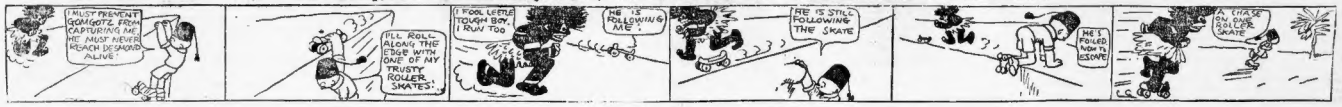
A Continued Picture Drama of Love and Hate, with a Thrill in Its Every Picture


MY NAME'S RECKLESS HARDY SHAVUS, U.S.A.
CURSES! THAT MESSAGE MUST NOT BE SENT!
DESMOND YOU CUR ARE WIRING FOR ITALIAN TROOPS.
TO GENERAL LI COUNT VERMICELLI — SEND 25,000 OF THE BERSAGLIERI TO CENSORED OFFICE. HAVE CAPTURED DESMOND INTERVENTIONAL CROOK AND TURKISH SPY. CENSORED.
THE MESSAGE
CLAUDE, I LOVE YOU. SOON AS THE TROOPS RECEIVE THE DESPERATE WIRE DESMOND WILL BE LOST
CLICK! CLICK!
WE GUARD PRIVATE WIRE
PEEP PEEP
I'LL FOOL YOU ALL. THAT WIRE WILL NEVER REACH THE ARMY
ZE WUNNA GRANDA BIRD, I TAKE WUNNA GOOD AIM AND I HAVE BIGGA MEAL
HA HA! THE DESERVED FIRST HA
CLAUDE, WE ARE OUTNUMBERED BUT I'LL PREVENT THE TURKS FROM SAVING THE VILLAIN DESMOND FROM US!
HERSHFIELD

From the picture above you may gain some idea of the tribulations which come to a war correspondent when he is in the act of sending out advice to the government of his home country. Some hero or villain may drop into the office and spoil all his plans, to say nothing of delaying the news which the world so anxiously awaits. However, this is just by way of introduction. The principal thing is to observe that Desmond, the international crook, is a captive and that a summons is going out for help. As the censor himself is present, there is no doubt that the message will go through. At least, there does not appear to be any doubt, but the careless shot of a soldier who is guarding the line of communication severs the wire and no help is summoned. But the Turkish troops are on the alert and marching to capture the telegraph and telephone office. In to-morrow's paper there will be some astonishing action as the result of the message having been interrupted. While waiting for that, glance below and observe how—

Little Philip, Rosamond's Schoolboy Brother, Does a Great Trick with One Roller Skate. The Kid's Clever.


I MUST PREVENT GOMEZ FROM CAPTURING ME AND MUST NEVER REACH DESMOND ALIVE
I'LL ROLL ALONG THE EDGE WITH ONE OF MY TRUSTY ROLLER SKATES!
I FOOL LITTLE TOUGH BOY, I RUN TOO
HE IS FOLLOWING ME
HE IS STILL FOLLOWING THE SKATE
HE'S FOOLED NOW I'LL LEGONE
A CHASE ON ONE ROLLER SKATE

Advice to the Lovelorn

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX

YOUR CONDUCT WAS PROPER

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

I am a young lady of seventeen. I was introduced to a gentleman of twenty-one. Since I had known him only a week he asked me to accompany him to the theatre. I refused, as I had known him such a short time. The next week he asked me again and I refused. He now goes with another girl and has not asked me since. I have since found out he is a very nice young man. Did I do right in refusing to go with him? Would it be proper for me to tell him that I refused because I did not know him long enough? PERPLEXED.

I THINK you did the proper thing. If he was the right sort of a man he would have understood why you refused and respected you for it.

As long as the matter is closed I would not reopen it. There are plenty of finer men in the world who would have more respect for your principles.

THE MAN IS UNWORTHY

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

I am twenty, and am in love with a man of the same age. I met him at a friend's wedding, four months ago, and have gone with him ever since.

It is now a month since he stopped. He tells me that it is too far for him to come often, as he lives uptown and I live downtown, and asked me many so as to be near him.

I have written him once since, but he did not answer.

Is this love or time wasted?

L. H. M.

THE man has acted dishonorably and I advise you to have nothing further to do with him. He evidently is playing with you now, and you must show him you are not a puppet to be cast aside at will.

Pay no attention to him. He will probably come back, which will give you a chance to show him how utterly unworthy he has been.

POOR JOHNNY.

A Yankee clinched his argument with an Englishman one day to the relative size of the Thames and Mississippi by saying:

"Why, look here, sahjer, there ain't enough water in the whole of the Thames to make a gargle for the mouth of the Mississippi."

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Hushed Up

A Romance Founded On a Deep Mystery

By Meta Simmons

TO-DAY'S INSTALMENT

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PART TWO—(Continued)

"JACK, can you stand there and assure me that you have no recollection—no knowledge of the man who told me that in Great spaces and great Silences a man has the opportunity to study Allah?" he said, wanly.

It was his last test, and it also failed.

"If Allah means God, that is true," the man said, with an odd thrill in his strange voice. "It was in the Great Silence that I learned my lesson of Him . . . the great Silence of Death"

Almost before Tring was aware of it he was gone; travelling at a great speed.

With a hopeless gesture, feeling sick and bewildered, Tring turned and walked back in the direction of the presbytery attached to the settlement in Lovegrove lane.

Something must be done. Something that would arrest shame and suffering and the puddle evil that clerical scandal works. But what?

What thing of horror had driven John Martindale mad, he asked himself.

His imagination leaped up white and strong, presenting a hundred terrible solutions.

"Heaven!" he said to himself as he went. "It would have been more merciful—more worthy of Thy power, to have let him die in the fire at Nokyoro. * * *

IN THE PRIEST'S HOME.

THE silence in the priest's room had lasted a long time. The priest was sitting in front of the fire on a stained windsor chair, his feet on the iron curb.

Once Tring, sitting in the only easy chair the room contained, gleaned at his companion, and, seeming to see something in his face that forbade speech, glanced from him about the room with uninterested, uncomprehending eyes.

"Ah," the priest sighed, like a man who shakes himself out of the thraldom of unpleasant thoughts, and stood up, his back to the fire, his broad shoulders pressing against the sharp edge of the wooden chimneypiece. "It seems to me there is only one thing to be done, and yet—

"As you know a great part of my life is spent in listening to stories of sin and shame and horror, Mr. Tring," he said, "but never in the course of my life have I listened to a story such as that of which you have given me the outlines, nor has anything yet inspired me with such feelings of pity and horror and unavailing regret. That beautiful woman—that woman, all heart as she seemed to me—and your friend! Good heavens. Mr. Tring, what is one to do?"

"I think morality had better continue to be left out of the question for the meantime," Tring said. "No doubt Martindale deserves all he is suffering and has suffered, but if we all received our deserts —that is beside the matter altogether. I intend to help him. But how? The man is insane, hopelessly insane."

"I am not so sure of that," put in the priest, quietly. "We cannot say 'hopeless' until we have brought him face to face with the great test."

"The great test? What do you mean?

"The woman—Mrs. Saxe," replied the priest.

* * *

Mrs. Saxe had left the Majestic some weeks ago and had taken a suite in a huge block of flats overlooking the park. As Tring's cab turned into the courtyard under a massive archway he could see the uncurtained windows of numberless flats twinkling above him.

Mrs. Saxe was at home; he learned that of an opulent looking hall porter before he allowed himself to be shot up in the lift to the fourth story.

Stared Into Fire

For a moment he did not see the woman, then she rose to meet him.

"How nice of you to come and see me." There was a distinct note of mockery in her charming voice, and, in spite of himself, it touched the man with constraint. He answered her polite questions.

"It appears that your errand was urgent," she said smiling. "Aren't you a little unkind to keep me in doubt about it?"

"I have come, if I may, to speak about your husband," he said.

For a moment the woman did not speak. She turned away from him and stared into the fire, and he saw that she dare not trust her voice to speak. Then: "I am afraid that I must refuse to do that," she said quite gently. "The subject is too painful . . . too heartbreaking."

"Please believe that I realize that only too well," Tring said. "Yet I am afraid it is a subject we must discuss."

He stopped, further words arrested on his lips by the look of agony.

"But you must have known it was inevitable a day would come when you must discuss the subject, Mrs. Saxe."

"Yes, I have certainly realized that it was a subject which might be talked of sometimes—with my friends," she said.

"I come as a friend."

"An uninvited, an unrecognized one," she cried, with deliberate rudeness.

"By you, perhaps," Tring said. "But I was John Martindale's friend. It is because of that friendship I am here tonight. To talk of him—not of John Saxe."

Breath Came Fast

Kitty's breath came fast and uneven.

And Tring's next words told her all he knew.

"Mrs. Saxe, I have come to-night as a friend, and I at least am quite willing to throw off the mask. I know, in fact, very little; in theory—a great deal. But I do know this—forgive me—it has to be said—that it was John Saxe and not John Martindale who died on the journey up country from Omdura. I know that it was John Martindale who died, or was supposed to die, in Nokyoro during the native rising."

"—I think you must be mad," Kitty said, but even in her own ears her tone was forced and choked.

"No—I could find it in my heart to wish that I was not so absolutely in possession of my faculties where this question is concerned," he said. "Won't you be brave and generous both and supplement my knowledge——"

"Your knowledge? Mr. Tring—our acquaintanceship is of the slightest—but for Mr. Martindale's sake, who was my great friend, and for the sake of your wife, for whom I have a liking, I do not wish to be rude—won't you spare me an unpleasant necessity?"

"Don't ring the bell," he said. "I shall go—at once, if you wish—but before I go let me ask you one question. Are you certain, absolutely certain, that the man whom the world called John Saxe is dead?"

Kitty's hand dropped from the bell, as though some one had struck a blow across her fingers. "Why do you ask?"

"Because," Tring's voice was very steady; it seemed to forbid the display of emotion. His kind brown eyes were upon her reassuringly; she felt their influence vaguely, and did not strive against it. "I have reason to believe that he just possible that—that—he did not die at Nokyoro."

"It's not true * * * it can't be true!" It was like a voice from the grave that cried aloud, hoarse and torn with fear and hope. Was it a trap, and had she already betrayed herself—and the dead?

"It seems incredible. I know nothing. I wish to raise no false hopes. Only there is this possibility—and only one person can prove its truth or falsity," Tring said.

"You mean—me?"

"I mean you."

"Oh, tell me," she whispered huskily. "Don't try to spare me for pity's sake, tell me everything."

Standing there Tringtold his story. "Does your wife know this?" she asked.

Tring, taken utterly aback, looked at her with a grim face.

"No." His voice was as grim as his face, and the woman felt a certain shrinking relief that this man was, as he had told her, a friend, and not her executioner. "My wife knows nothing of this, nor must she ever know. She has been wronged enough, wounded enough. You have robbed her of enough already—leave her her dreams"——

"Her dreams," repeated Kitty. "Ah, dreams are all that she ever possessed of him, believe that.

"Your looks accuse me of a hundred crimes. Let me justify myself—let me tell you all the truth."

Felt Sense of Pity

As Tring listened to the story Kitty told him—a brief story, told in broken words with long, baiting pauses that seemed more eloquent than the words themselves—he felt a great uprising sense of moral proportion in its rush. These two, the man and woman who had loved and sinned, were not to be judged by the standards by which lesser lives are judged; as well strive to weigh the lives of Paola and Francesca or any of the world's great lovers in the moral scales of Peckham Rye. He saw the man she loved fighting single-handed against a horde of blood-mad savages to save the lives of those he loved, spending out the last hour of his life in moments of agony to safeguard this woman's safety, and, remembering the man who had fled from him through the darkness of the Poplar slum, he felt a sickening of the heart.

"I ought to tell her the truth now," he said to himself sternly. "I ought to tell her that in coming back to life out of hell, he has lost—not his memory—his wits. What will she feel when she finds only a madman where she looked for a lover?"

And yet he had not the courage even then to tell her the truth.

It had been arranged that she would go back with him to Poplar that evening.

Fortune favors them to-night. They had no need to ask news of the men of whom they had come in search. Tring had discussed the taxicab near the underground station, and had brought Kitty, by a maze of by-streets to Exmouth Market. And then, unexpectedly, heralded by no crowd, by no spreaded voice, they came on the mad preacher.

He heard Kitty give a sudden, gasping sigh, and glanced at her. Her eyes were fixed on the preacher; her face was white, even to the parted lips.

She said nothing. Only in her heart words repeated themselves over and over again.

"Jack . . . my dear, my dear! In God's name what has brought you to this pass?"

She knew then, as she looked at the man standing there in the lamplight, that until that moment she had hoped, but had not believed. Now the truth had beaten its way straight into her heart and had thrown out a resting place there. Unlike the other women who had loved this man, after the first eager, hungry look, she had never for a moment been in doubt.

"I have a new message for you to-night!" The loud, clear voice rallied the the loafers. "A new message . . . a message of hope."

The crowd was gathering and Tring and Kitty found themselves being pressed into the heart of it. Tring was conscious of a new element in the crowd gathered so quickly, so astoundingly quickly, and while the preacher's words rang out, ebbed and flowed, but never diminished in volume. More women in the crowd than usual, for the factories were closed early to-night, and with the blousy, aproned, hatless girls, the usual gang of undersized lads, full of vulgar horseplay, mischievous and ignorant as apes.

To Be Continued To-morrow.

The best work of Nell Brinkley appears regularly in the Sunday AMERICAN. Don't miss the fascinating pictures by Miss Brinkley in the Sunday AMERICAN.

A Reminder

IT was midnight. The burglar had entered the house as quietly as possible, but his shoes were not padded, and they made some noise. He had just reached the door of the bedroom when he heard some one moving in the bed as if about to get up, and he paused. The sound of a woman's voice floated to his ears.

"If you don't take your boots off when you come into this house," it said, "there's going to be trouble, and a whole lot of it. Here it's been raining for three hours, and you dare to trump over my carpets with your muddy boots on. Go downstairs and take them off this minute!

He went downstairs without a word, but he didn't take off his boots. Instead, he went straight out into the night again, and after the "pal" who was waiting for him saw a tear glisten in his eye.

"I can't rob that house," he said. "It reminds me of home."

ECZEMA GONE IN THREE DAYS

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Probably as an after effect of his eye affliction, eczema formed in the eyebrow of this patient and baffled the science of the best physicians in a New York hospital. Resinol was tried, and lo! the disease was gone. Read what the happy wife says:

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ALL DRUGGISTS 11-23

MALDEN MAN WINS $25 PRIZE

The winner of the first prize of $25 in the December contest of newsdealers in the Metropolitan district for the best front window display of the Sunday AMERICAN magazine is H. P. Childs of No. 393 Ferry street, Malden.

Mr. Childs takes first prize, among forty competitors, for an ingenious display in which a life-size representation of A. Mutt was surrounded with front covers of the Sunday AMERICAN magazine for December.

The full list of eight prize-winners is:

First prize, $25—H. P. Childs, No. 393 Ferry street, Malden.

Second prize, $10—Thomas Tobin, No. 702 Washington street, Worcester.

Third prize, $5—H. Hirshon, North Ferry, city side.

Fourth prize, $2—S. B. Klein, No. 226 Broadway, South Boston.

Fifth prize, $2—Mrs. J. S. Williams, No. 68 Main street, Everett.

Sixth prize, $2—Nangle Bros., Somerville.

Seventh prize, $2—William Rodman, Chelsea square, Chelsea.

Eighth prize, $2—L. M. Libbey, No. 6 Holland street, West Somerville.

The other seven prize-winners, all the competitors in fact, arranged very clever displays, but Mr. Childs pulls down the big money. The judge of the December contest was A. W. Rooney of the Winchester News Company.

The figure of A. Mutt, Bud Fisher's famous comic character, is seen in Mr. Child's window, seated in a chair and holding up a copy of the Sunday AMERICAN magazine for the public to see. Mutt is say ing, "Some class to this magazine."

This statement by the celebrated Mr. Mutt is beyond argument. The popularity of the Sunday AMERICAN magazine proves it, backed up by the artistic and literary excellence of the production.

BOSTON LIQUOR MEN PLAN MAINE PAPER

Farmington, Me., Dec. 13.—Jacob Wirth of Boston heads a corporation which will start a newspaper at Farmington as part of an organized effort to overcome the strong vote for prohibition in Franklin County, which showed the highest majority of any county in the State. The campaign will start with the beginning of the new year as a part of a fight which will be put up all over the State in overcoming the adverse majority in favor of prohibition in the interest mainly of wholesale liquor dealers of Boston and other cities. The capital stock of the corporation is $10,000, but it is the intention to spend $30,000 if necessary.

RODGERS' COAST FLIGHT AT END

LONG BEACH, Cal., Dec. 11.—Aviator Calbraith P. Rodgers completed the last leg of his cross-continental flight, alighting on the shore of the Pacific. The final hop of this trip was twelve miles. Rodgers started at Compton, where he left on November 12.

A crowd estimated at 60,000 persons saw the finish of the trip, and as the wheels of Rodgers' machine touched the sand an enthusiastic throng surged in on the aviator and the huge impact of the rush pushed his machine into the waves.

Rodgers declared that actual flying time from the Atlantic was three days, ten hours and fourteen minutes.

LORD DECIES SAVED BY GEORGE J. GOULD

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—George J. Gould, his son, Jay Gould, Lord and Lady Decies and Mr. Russell, a friend of Mr. Gould, narrowly escaped being run down on Pennsylvania avenue by a cab driver. After dinner the party decided to walk back to the Willard. As they were crossing Pennsylvania avenue at Fifteenth street a cab driver headed toward the party. Lady Decies, who was in the lead with his lordship, stepped back, but not her husband, who stood stock still, and the cab driver was about to strike him down George Gould grabbed him by the arm and jerked him out of danger.

LINERS HELD UP BY FOG IN NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—In one of the heaviest fogs that has visited New York this season more than a dozen ocean liners were held up today off Quarantine and Ambrose lightship and Fire Island, while ferryboat schedules were shattered and other river and harbor traffic almost entirely tied up.

BURGESS IN AIRSHIP GOES DUCK HUNTING

MARBLEHEAD, Dec. 13.—W. Starling Burgess claims a new record for flight in a hydro-aeroplane as a result of his cruise of hops along the North Shore, beginning with a flight to Beverly Farms to keep a $1,500 net share option he secured on a duck-hunting trip no doubt, in which he covered a total of 200 miles.

American Woolen Company

Fifty-First Quarterly Dividend

Notice is hereby given that the regular quarterly dividend of One and Three-Quarters Per Cent. (1¾%) on the Preferred Stock of the American Woolen Company of record December 30th, 1911, will be paid on the 15th day of January, 1912.

Transfer books for Preferred Stock will be closed at the close of business December 30th, 1911, and will be reopened January 5th, 1912.

Checks will be mailed by the Guaranty Trust Co. of New York.

WM. H. DWELLY, Jr., Treasurer.

Boston, Mass., December 6, 1911.

Island Creek Coal Company

PREFERRED STOCK DIVIDEND

The Directors of the Island Creek Coal Company have declared the regular quarterly dividend of $1.50 per share upon the Preferred Stock of this Company, payable January 1, 1912, to stockholders of record at the close of business December 16, 1911.

F. W. BATCHELDER, Treasurer.

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TO-DAY'S STOCK MARKETS; FINANCIAL NEWS

BUSINESS LIGHT IN WALL STREET

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Exceptional weakness of the Great Northern ore issue was the prominent feature in the early training on the stock market to-day. Demand for this stock apparently fell off entirely during the last few days and it suffered a price depreciation in the latter part of last week of about 6 per cent. To-day's pressure drove it down two per cent. further, making a new low record for it.

Moderate strength was shown in the usually active issues, but the volume of business was small and price movements of the leaders were narrow and of little significance. The following initial advances were made: Steel common 3, Steel pref. 1, Amal. Copper 1¼, U. S. Smelting 1, Erie common ⅝, Penn. ⅝, Reading ⅝, Union Pac. ⅝, Can. Pac. ⅝.

The curb market was quiet at the opening, with Standard Oil unchanged from Saturday, and American Tobacco three points off from its bid of Saturday.

In London support was evident in nearly all departments, and prices there showed a firmer tone, presumably against the Grand Trunk issues was outlined.

BOSTON STOCKS.

Following is the range of prices for the leading Boston stocks till noon:

RAILROADS.	High.	Low.	Noon.
Boston Elevated 129¾	129½	129¾
Boston & Maine 100¾	100¼	100¾
Conn. River 178	178	178

LAND COMPANIES.			
East Boston 10¾	10⅜	10⅜

TELEPHONES.			
American 138½	138½	138½
New England 157½	157½	157⅜

MINING STOCKS.			
Adventure 7	7	7
Calumet & Arizona 57	57	57
Copper Range 53½	53½	53½
Franklin 9½	9	9⅛
Isle Royale 27	27	27
Mayflower 83	83	83
Old Dominion 24	24	24
Osceola 100	100	100
Utah Copper 46¾	46¾	46¾
Victoria 4⅝	4⅝	4⅝

MISCELLANEOUS.			
United Fruit pfd. 182	182	182
United Fruit rts. 1⅞	1⅞	1⅞

UNLISTED SECURITIES.			
Amalgamated Copper 67½	67¾	67¾
Am. Agri. Chem. pf. 94½	94½	94½
Am. Sugar Refining pf. 114	114	114
Am. Zinc 24¾	24¾	24¾
Booth Fisheries 4	4	4
Lead Bully 11½	11½	11½
Nevada Con. 16⅜	16⅜	16⅜
Hancock 26	26	26
Indiana 5	5	5
Inspiration 99⅜	99⅜	99⅜
Miami Copper 23¾	23¾	23¾
Mont. Copper 61½	61½	61½
Superior Boston 1¾	1¾	1¾
Superior & Pittsburg 17⅜	17⅜	17⅜
U. S. Smelting pf. 47½	47½	47½

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Following is the range of prices for the leading New York stocks till noon:

RAILROADS.	High.	Low.	Noon.
Atch., T. & S. F. 105⅝	105⅝	105⅝
Atch., T. & S. F. pf. 103⅜	103⅜	103⅜
Balt. & Ohio 101	101	101
Canadian Pac. 257	257	257
Canadian Pac. 259	258½	258½
Ches. & Ohio 72¾	72¾	72¾
Chi., M. & St. P. 110	109¼	110
Chi. & Southern 47	47	47
Erie 30½	30½	30½
Erie 1st pf. 40½	40½	40½
Gt. Northern pf. 127½	126¾	127½
Int. Metropol. 14¼	14¼	14¼
Louis. & Nash. 156	155	156
Lehigh Valley 166½	166½	166½
Missouri Pac. 38⅜	38	38
N. Y. C. & Hud. 106¾	105¾	106
Norfolk & Western 107	106¾	107
Northern Pacific 117¾	117¼	117¾
Pennsylvania 122	121¾	122
Reading 161¾	161¼	161¾
Rock Island 24⅝	23¾	24⅝
Rock Island pf. 46¾	46¼	46¾
Southern Pacific 111	110⅝	111⅛
Southern Ry. 29¼	29¼	29¼
Third Ave. 41	41	41
Union Pacific 172⅜	170⅝	172
Wabash 17	16¾	17
Wabash pf. 18	17⅝	17⅝
Western Union 74¾	74¼	74¾

INDUSTRIAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.			
Amal. Copper 64¼	63¾	63¾
Am. Beet Sugar 32½	32½	32½
Amer. Sm. & Ref. 62¾	62¼	62¼
Am. Sugar 118	117	117
Am. Can pf. 91¼	91	91
Anaconda Cop. 33⅝	33¼	33⅜
Col. Fuel & Iron 28	27	27
Gen. Elec. (N. Y.) 157½	157	157½
Harvester 105¾	105¼	105¼
Northern Ore 35¾	34¾	35¼
Pacific Mail 31¼	31¼	31¼
Pr. Steel Car 37½	37½	37½
U. S. Rubber 46¾	46¾	46¾
U. S. Rubber 1st pf. 109	109	109
U. S. Steel 62⅜	62	62⅜
U. S. Steel pf. 108⅞	108⅝	108⅝

BOSTON CURB.

Following is the range of prices to noon for leading Curb stocks:

QUALIFIED LIST.

Stocks.	High.	Low.	Noon.
Bay State Gas 22¾	22¾	22¾
Bay State Gas pf. 70	70	70
Boston Ely 8⅝	8⅝	8⅝
Boston Consol 4¾	4¾	4¾
Chief Con. 50c	50c	50c
Cobalt Con. (assmt. pd.) 15¾	15¾	15¾
First National 2	2	2
Gilsfield Con. 13-16	13-16	13-16
Houghton 2½	2½	2½
La Rose 3 3-16	3 3-16	3 3-16
Majestic 38c	38c	38c
Nevada Metals 2	2	2
Nevada Utah 16c	16c	16c
Otis Copper 1 1-16	1	1 1-16
Trinity 15-16	13-16	15-16
Pond Creek 16¼	16¼	16¼

UNQUALIFIED LIST.

Cortez	1½	1½	1½
Ely Con.	15c	15c	15c
Green Monument	10c	10c	10c
Hancock Consol	55c	55c	55c
Hedley Yoncalla	60c	60c	60c

State Street News

The business failures for November and December will be sufficient to frighten thousands of people into selling their stocks, and the foundation thus formed will mark the end of the movement in this direction.

$ $ $

Most cheerful of the facts that can be recorded now is that conditions are almost at the worst in business. It seems impossible that the remainder of the present volume of business done is fair, but people are either without complete information, or are almost nothing, so that nobody feels encouraged.

$ $ $

The multi-millionaires are the only ones who are making big distributions of their business, and their profits in the last two or three years have undoubtedly been the greatest they ever made. The blows dealt to the general public have been so severe as to fall heavily on the small investors. The depths of despair into which legitimate business has fallen are so black that they must be the forerunners of the dawn.

$ $ $

Another cheerful fact is that the drought which caused havoc last year throughout the Northern Hemisphere seems to be ended. Abundant rains and snows have fallen in Europe and the United States. Should this favorable continue enough moisture will be in the ground within a couple of months to insure fair crops next year. Big crops mean abundant business, and a return to prosperity, and even should the bands continue to cause their attacks on legitimate business there can be no recovery without good crops.

$ $ $

The country suffered a misfortune this year in raising too much cotton and not enough of other produce. The record cotton crop will bring $400,000,000 less than that of last year, while export prices of other commodities are not proportionately higher, thereby failing to make up the loss in acreage. The government's final estimate of the cotton crop will be issued today, but it is known that the actual ginnings thus far have been greater than the total crop of last year.

$ $ $

The United States Government, having for nearly twenty years enjoyed a criminal partnership with the trusts, has now become their partner, and the result is the best corrupt bond one hundred" dissolution suits threatened by the Attorney-General. The word "criminal" is used in this connection only because the Administration at Washington says the partnership was a criminal one.

There are thousands of honest business men who do not believe any crime was intended, but nobody can escape the conclusion that, if crime was uncoiled, the Government knew just as guilty as the trusts, and that in attacking them it is attacking its dishonest record made in connection with the fictitious market sustained for government bonds.

$ $ $

It would be impossible to devise a money system for the United States that would give control of the currency system more completely to three men than the one now in existence. J. P. Morgan, John D. Rockefeller and the Secretary of the Treasury of the United States are in ultimate control and to be necessary is usually in the minority. The great volume of business in banks looks for reasons for respecting low interest rates. Interest rates are fixed not by the volume of money idle, but of money which is used in this way. Idle money is regarded as one of the lines of greatest resistance.

$ $ $

"The panic is coming," continued Mr. Knox, "even as did suffering from the panic of 1907. The lack of financial difficulty from States with which to meet the demands of intimate intercourse and earnest friendship, and which will be a source of strength to both by stability and peaceful self-development. Let us hope that it will not be long before bread to find better employment. Anyhow, Democratic control has allowed us to go ahead to take advantage of the American opportunity for prosperity and peace on earth and good-will to fellow-men."

$ $ $

Advancing rates for money have surprised many bankers, but only because they have failed to understand why so much money is lying idle in the banks. Such money is there because the owners are holding it in expectation of bargain days in the stock market or because they have refused to risk it in enterprises which are attacked by politicians for ensuring purposes.

$ $ $

Medford will receive bids until Wednesday, Dec. 13, 1911, for $1,000 4 per cent. municipal notes, payable $1,000 on Nov. 1, in each of years 1913 to 1916 inclusive. Also $4,000 of issue of 1911, payable in September, 1914, and $8,000 coupon bonds dated Aug. 1 in each of the years 1912 to 1919 inclusive.

$ $ $

Armed posses of police and volunteers today searched the woods and swamps of Swampscott and Lynnfield for Ernest Bergeron, the boy who is said to have gone out with a gun during the noon hour and shot his employer at Szlen on Saturday afternoon.

Every lot of woods where the boy could hide out was examined. Circulars bearing the lads picture and description were distributed to every police department in the East and Canada.

MAN LIES SIX DAYS PENNED IN A LEDGE

SOUTHBRIDGE, Dec. 11.—James Lock, who was found unconscious from hunger and exposure after having been missing since early Tuesday, in a crevice between two ledges in the woods a mile from the centre of the town, is expected to survive his terrible ordeal.

His emaciated condition indicates that he must have lain in the spot where he was found practically the entire six days that he has been missing.

FOR DIPLOMACY OF THE DOLLAR

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—"Dollar diplomacy" received the stamp of approval of Secretary of State Knox in his address before the National Civic Federation here today. He declared that the greatest good that can be done by the diplomatic service in time of peace is the furthering of American business enterprises abroad, and he announced his plans to bring his department to a high state of organization directed towards that purpose.

Many expressions of astonishment were heard when the secretary grasped upon the term "dollar diplomacy." He accepted the words, which he admitted had heretofore been used in a disparaging sense, as a creditable and happy phrase, using the expression several times during his address.

Civil Service Principle.

The Secretary said that the American diplomatic service would have to be of enabled into a trained, permanent and non-partisan corps if the American people were to have with the people of other nations an equal chance in the field of foreign commercial opportunity.

Mr. Knox declared that the principle of civil service was already applied to the diplomatic service so far as to the consular service; that the appointments to the diplomatic service, up to the grade of minister, and the promotions therein, were now based upon a rigid merit system. The basis for such an organization, he said, had been laid under the authority of President Taft's executive order of 1909. What he now wants, he told the Federation, was to have Congress make permanent the principles of this new organization scheme of both consular and diplomatic services, by the passage of the Lowden bill, now pending before Congress.

The Secretary pointed out that it was quite as essential to the advancement of American enterprise abroad to have a trained diplomatic corps as it was to have a trained corps of Consuls. He regarded the change in the diplomatic service, showing its growth along the lines of the position of ambassador in a purely political field to an important factor in the extension of American commercial interests.

Ally of the People.

"From being an organization apart," he said, "removed by the favor of patronage and shackled by conventionality, it has rapidly grown to be the co-worker and ally of the people in their efforts to extend their enterprise, influence and material profits in the fields of new endeavor. The 'open door' is a good thing in theory; in practice two things are essential—it must be opened, and it must be kept open. To do both is the function of diplomacy. In order to act its part well the diplomatic service must be of the people and act for the people, first, last, and all the time."

Four changes were advocated by Mr. Knox for the establishment of such a diplomatic service.

First, the merit system. In accordance with the civil service principles in use in other branches of the government service, should, he said, be extended by low thoughout the diplomatic service to cover all appointments up to the grade of Minister. This principle is now followed so that those who are appointed to high positions a corps of secretaries both selected and trained, and who are now being sent to foreign posts have "grasped the first rung of the ladder equipped for success in their honorable career."

Better Salaries Needed.

Secondly, the Knox wants either better salaries paid to foreign representatives or ample funds for representation. He said they should receive compensation which would enable them to live and to entertain on their duties without supplying money from their private purses. This is necessary, he declared, if the State Department were to be free to choose the best man for the posts without being forced to consider the wealth of the man as one of qualifications for fitness for a foreign post.

Third, adequate funds available for the purchase of enclosures and legations abroad. Mr. Knox pointed to be entirely inadequate. He put forward the novel idea of the erection of buildings in foreign capitals by the American government, which, besides being a benefit of American material, and, even where possible, built by American labor, would, he said, there would be indelibly stamped upon every foreign capital as typically American structure, as a permanent expression of American enterprise.

Lastly, Mr. Knox discussed his reorganization plan for the Washington bureau. During his administration, he said, he had added a commercial agent department to the office and some half-dozen business divisions, to handle the vast and increasing volume of business now transacted by the specialized basis than has been possible heretofore.

As an indication of how badly these additions are needed, he said that the files of the department at Washington the recorded mail of twenty years in the past filled on the shelves only about as much space as that of the mail of six months now.

Aid in American Dollars.

Mr. Knox went into the Honduran and Nicaraguan treaty questions, showing the gain that would result to the business of this country by a correction of financial derangements, and declaring that it was like money other things," said the Secretary, "means add suffering from the lack of it. Financial difficulty in States with which we have close commercial relations reacts upon us. Let us help our friends to find better employment. Anyhow, Democratic control has allowed us to go ahead to take advantage of the American opportunity for prosperity and peace on earth and good-will to fellow-men."

CUNARDER LACONIA TO SAIL FROM BOSTON

It is announced that the new Cunard line steamship Laconia, recently completed at Newcastle-on-Tyne, for the Liverpool-Boston service, will make her initial voyage to this port March 12, leaving Liverpool on that date. She is expected to reach Boston on the 20th and after seven days here departs on her return trip. The Laconia will replace the Ivernia and run with the Franconia, of which she is almost a sister, now duplicate. The new liner is the first British vessel to be equipped with the new rolling tanks, which insure steadiness in heavy weather.

NEW BRIDGE ASKED FOR WATERTOWN

A delegation of prominent citizens of Watertown went to Washington to confer with the War Department officials to secure some action on the part of the government in building a new bridge over the Charles River at North Beacon street, which is the only bridge across the river in improving the highway.

The committee included Charles Brigham, Bartlett M. Shaw, William F. Ross, William H. Wright, Frederick Fenno and E. E. Coolidge. Alfred A. Glidden and G. Frank Hall also went.

POSTOFFICE NOW ON PAYING BASIS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—The report of Postmaster-General Hitchcock for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1911, shows that in two years he has wiped out a deficit in his department of $17,479,770.87 and gained a balance on the right side of the ledger of $210,143.12. The revenues for the year, he says, amounted to $237,959,923.66, and the expenditures to $237,749,780.54.

YALE TEACHER'S WIFE A SUICIDE

NEW HAVEN, Dec. 11.—Ina Leach Gubelmann, wife of Professor Alfred Edward Gubelmann of Yale University, threw herself into West River and her body was found later by a party of searchers which included members of the faculty and citizens of New Haven. She was thirty-four and leaves no children. She had been suffering from melancholia for several months, and was to be taken to a sanitarium this week.

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WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—Forces of reserves for the navy and the marine corps are provided for in a bill introduced by Senator Perkins of California today. The chairman of the Committee on Naval Affairs asked for an appropriation of $250,000. The bill provides that the numbers of the reserve must not be more than 50 per cent. of those in the regular service, and the personnel will be drawn from resigned naval officers, graduates of the Naval Academy who have resigned before being assigned to regular duties, officers of the merchant marine and of the State naval militia.

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Deaths.

BLAMM—In Boston, Dec. 9, 1911, Sarah A. Jason.
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William Morgan Shuster's Revelation of Russia as a National Outlaw.

Our salutations to William Morgan Shuster, capable and courageous American, for his honorable and heroic stand to protect Persia from the conscienceless power now seeking to destroy her!

Mr. Shuster's message to the AMERICAN, which we printed Saturday, has the ringing quality of the best Americanism. It cannot fail to stir the souls of high-minded men throughout the civilized world. It is an appeal for right against might, for honorable conduct against bad faith, for the progress of a defenceless people against the predatory purpose of a nation which of all the nations is the least progressive. Such an appeal ought not to fall upon deaf ears in the nation's Congress, and we predict it will not.

Already Great Britain, which had proclaimed with Russia a sort of a joint guardianship over Persia, is showing signs of agitation over the course of Russia in invading Persia with her Cossacks. The statesmen of Great Britain know the power behind a moral appeal such as that made by the undaunted American now in control of Persia's affairs, even if the statesmen of Russia do not.

Lords Morley and Curzon have expressed their admiration for the motives of Mr. Shuster, and there seems to be an inclination on the part of the British government to evade, as far as possible, responsibility for the consequences which may come from the Cossack invasion, especially any harm or indignity which may be suffered by the American citizen who has put above his own safety the interests of the appreciative people whom he has so loyally and efficiently served.

As Mr. Shuster points out in his message to the AMERICAN the action of Russia in sending her Cossacks into Persia without having declared war is a clear violation of international law and of The Hague convention to which Russia was a party. As he truly says, "It is a wanton act of hostility against American citizens enjoying the rights and protection accorded them by a friendly state."

Already the temper of the American people is aroused against Russia because of her denial of passport rights to American Jews. The demand for the abrogation of our treaty with Russia on that account has grown to such proportions that Congress must take heed of it.

The Russian raid into Persia for the purpose of expelling Americans whose sole offence is that they have rendered good service to the Persian people will but add fuel to the flame of American indignation.

In his speech of protest at Carnegie Hall, in New York, Wednesday night against Russia's refusal to recognise passports given to American Jews, Mr. Hearst concluded by saying:

"In the protection of its citizens, in the maintenance of its own self-respect, in the defence of its own honor, let the United States assert its dignity, and, if necessary, employ its power."

The nation can employ its power without using its force. The withdrawal of friendly relations by a nation of the importance in the world of the United States would be an employment of power which might give any nation cause for great concern. Also the United States can employ its power by arousing, as it only can do, the conscience of mankind against a nation which shamelessly stands out against human rights and wantonly violates international obligations.

Whatever the near future may have in store for Mr. Shuster in Persia, whether he shall be permitted to continue his work of financial rehabilitation, industrial development and moral uplift in behalf of the nation he found so sorely distressed and helpless, or whether he shall be escorted to the borders by a guard of Russian Cossacks, one thing is certain—he has deserved the plaudits of his own people.

When the United States, as a consequence of a war to free the oppressed people of Cuba, was forced to take over Porto Rico and the Philippines, it was generally predicted by the politicians of Europe that we would prove poor administrators of colonies for lack of experience and other reasons less complimentary.

That prediction has not been fulfilled. The Philippines and Porto Rico were never more prosperous, and no stain of serious scandal has tarnished American administration in either of those lands.

It was because of his excellent work in the Philippines that Persia called upon Mr. Shuster to assume the task of its rehabilitation.

So well has he performed that task that the legislature of that country gave him a unanimous vote of public confidence in the face of a threatened destruction of the nation's sovereignty unless he were repudiated.

Mr. Shuster has conferred honor upon the American people. If he shall be exiled from the country he has served so well, his own people should see to it that before he goes the nations responsible for his going shall be completely unmasked, that the world may recognize them for what they are, not what they pretended to be.

LETTERS FROM AMERICAN READERS

THE RUSSIAN PASSPORT QUESTION

Editor AMERICAN:

Why should there be any question? All passports should be recognized alike, and if they are not, then we should know the reason why.

America is in America and a treaty with Russia should mean all it implies.

Boston. MAX HENRY NEWMAN.

THE LOAN AGENCY SUPERVISOR

Editor AMERICAN:

The Brockton Central Labor Union has a committee that is interested in the conformation of E. Gerry Brown as Supervisor of Loan Agencies.

The Boston Herald of December 7 says: "It is said the experts in charge of the loan division of the Russell Sage foundation have failed to indorse Mr. Brown and that helps the delay."

What the labor men and loan sufferers in Brockton would like to know is this: Don't these loan experts with their loans come under the new laws? If the supervisor has got to meet their approval don't they control the supervisor? Why should these high browns be recognized to create delay?

The AMERICAN gave us this law to curb the loan sharks last July; but the loan sharks and the Sage experts or somebody or something else has been bigger than the Legislature or the AMERICAN ever dare that time. Against any opinion of these loan experts, whoever they are, we filed hundreds of opinions from Brockton business men and professional men who knew about the requirements of the office, that Mr. Brown had the executive ability, integrity and sound judgment it demanded.

For nearly five months, lacking a few days, any person making a loan has had less restraint than ever before and they give the laugh on how they have been helped.

EMMET E. WALLS.

For the Committee.

What is the answer? Will the AMERICAN help us?

Bill's the Boy to Put It Over!

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NEVER! HOW DARE YOU!
THE TRUSTS
CONTROL LEGISLATURE
LAW TO REGULATE TRUSTS
MR. SPEAKER, IN THE INTERESTS OF THE PEOPLE THIS MEASURE MUST PASS!
BILL
OH, YES, I SEE!
LISTEN, SENATOR, YOU SEE IT'S LIKE THIS.
HAW!
MR. SPEAKER IN THE INTERESTS OF THE PEOPLE I MOVE THAT THIS MEASURE BE PUT IN THE COOLER FOR SEVEN YEARS!
F. Opper

The best work of F. Opper, the famous cartoonist, appears regularly in the Sunday AMERICAN. Don't miss Mr. Opper's funny pictures in the Sunday AMERICAN.

Rhymo the Monk

By GUS MAGER

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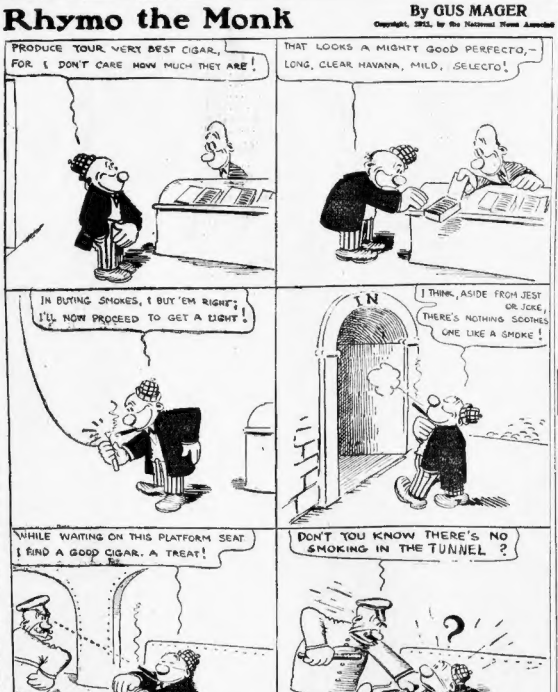
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DON'T YOU KNOW THERE'S NO SMOKING IN THE TUNNEL ?

Sherlocko the Monk, with his friend, Dr. Watso, is now a regular feature of the Sunday AMERICAN. Don't miss the funny detective work of Sherlocko in the Sunday AMERICAN.

How the Governor's Council Has Blocked the Loan Shark Law

Last July the General Court created a Supervisor of Loans and made it unlawful for anyone to transact the business of making loans under $300 for which more than 12 per cent. per annum is charged without the permission of the Supervisor of Loans.

Months ago Governor Foss appointed Mr. E. Gerry Brown of Brockton to be Supervisor of loans. Mr. Brown is one of the best known men in the Commonwealth and received one of the largest votes ever given a candidate for Lieutenant-Governor in the State.

No one has ever yet questioned his integrity or denied his ability or doubted his public spirit. He is a progressive man, and one whose character and public record give assurance that no one can reach an understanding with him that is inconsistent with his public duty.

For these or for other inscrutable reasons the Governor's Council immediately began a factious filibustering against the consideration of Mr. Brown's name. At first the Council entertained an anonymous charge that Mr. Brown had gone into bankruptcy under unfavorable conditions, a charge that was grossly false and was founded upon a mistake in names which any honest inquiry would have discovered in a few hours.

Since the explosion of this yarn week after week has come and gone yet the Council still fails either to reject or to confirm Mr. Brown. Almost anything may be expected from this Council under the leadership of Walter H. Glidden, but there are limits to the partisanship and factiousness even of men under the influence of Mr. Glidden. It would seem that further refusal to act upon Mr. Brown's name is beyond these limits.

If the loan business is not being transacted contrary to law, it is being transacted entirely without regulation and supervision. The Council refuses to do its duty and no supervisor exists. If the people of Massachusetts like this situation, the AMERICAN will be surprised to learn it.

This Council dallies with action on the name of Mr. Brown for months without excuse, leaving the small loan business in a state of anarchy.

It rejects a man of the character and attainments and independence of Professor Droppers.

BUT IT SUSPENDS ITS RULES AND CONFIRMS MR. BANCROFT IN FIVE MINUTES.

Using Other People's Money

How the Makers of Trusts Obtain Their Mastery—A Striking Idea

By LOUIS D. BRANDEIS

THE formation of the co-operative society by employes of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad system is an event of great significance. It is a part of the paramount struggle for economic liberty and against financial servitude. The power of wealth and of privilege can be successfully met by the people only by utilizing to the full extent the power of numbers: utilizing that power not only politically but industrially.

The control which is exercised by the high financiers over the industries, and to a large extent over the liberties of the American people, is not so much by reason of the wealth of these financiers as by reason of the control which they exercise over the small savings of the people. The masters of finance become the masters of the trusts and of the people by their use of other people's money. Emancipation can come only through the utilization by the people not only of their power of production, but of their own purchasing power.

The position of the Money Kings is much like that of the monarch in the kingdoms of old. We have no place in the American democracy for the Money King, not even for the merchant prince. Industrial democracy must supplement political democracy; industrial liberty, political liberty. Political independence and industrial dependence cannot long exist in the same individual. We are confronted in the twentieth century, as we were in the nineteenth century, with an irreconcilable conflict. Our democracy could not endure half free and half slave.

The essence of the trust is a combination of the capitalist, by the capitalist, for the capitalist.

The essence of the co-operative society is association of the people, by the people and for the people.

That such society can succeed is abundantly proved by the experience of Great Britain covering nearly half a century.

There the co-operative movement has grown steadily. The common people have shown themselves capable of handling business vast in extent and varied in character, comprising production, transportation and distribution; business involving in the aggregate hundreds of millions of dollars, and they have proved that these businesses can be conducted successfully in competition with the capitalistic enterprises.

They have proven that real co-operation, real industrial democracy is a practical success.

What the Scotch and English have done and are doing, Americans can do at least as well. The clear sighted and enterprising employes of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad system in forming their co-operative society have pointed the way. The people of America, East and West, will follow these pioneers.

Little Bobbie

He Writes About Mr. Carnegie's List

By WILLIAM F. KIRK

ALL the time wen I was eating dinner last nite I noticed that Pa was feeling awful blue. He sed that roast was too cold. & he sed that the coffee was look warm. Wen Pa is blue he is a regiar ther monseter.

Well, Karl Killjoy, sed Ma, what seems to be on yure little mind this afternoon? Why have you made our eely dinner look like a feast of the Dead? sed Ma. Brace up, sed Ma. smile a littel & have sum of them dumplings. I cooked them with my own hands, sed Ma. I wife have known it, sed Pa, thay look like yure hands. No, take them away, I dount want them.

Aggens I ask you, sed Ma, what is the matter with you?

I feel that I have been sitted, Pa sed, I see that Mister Carnegay has made up a list of twenty grate men & am not in it, sed Pa, & nether is Mister Dante or Lord Byron or McGraw or seven Teddy Roosvelt, Pa sed. Can you beat that? sed Pa, a list of grate men without Teddy. No wonder I am blue, sed Pa, wen a littel iron man came along & picks out a lot of grate men without ever having red enuff history to know the reely grate men. I have a list here, sed Pa, which I made up for one of our leading magazens a long time ago. The list dident git into the paiper, sed Pa, owing to the fack that I havent a raft load of munny, like Mr. Carnegay, but the fack remains, sed Pa, that my list of grate natins will live longer than the list made up by Mister Carnegay. The reason it is a better list, Pa sed, is because my list is classified. Listen, sed Pa, & you will see & heer my famus list all placed where thay beelong:

POETS—Shakespeer & Byron & Poe & me.

ARTISTS—Rembrandt & Millet.

YOGG MEN—Jack Dalton & Harry Tracy & the James Brothers.

ACTORS—Corse Payton. He owns more theaters than Shakespeer.

ORATORS—Theodore Roosevelt & Demosthenes beekaus wen thay smile thay both show the rocks in there mouths.

FITERS—Bob Fitzsimmons & me. Well, sed Ma, when are you going to git thru talking that nonsense & get reddy for the theater.

I dount feel like going to any theater tonite, sed Pa. I feel too sad wen I think how Mister Carnegay left me out of the ranks of grate men.

Well, sed Ma, you made up for it by putting yure own name in twice. Cum on & put on yure clothes now, sed Ma, you may not be one of the twenty grate men of the world but you are the decentest man of them all.

Then Pa felt happy & he went & got reddy for the show. I think Pa is one of the twenty grattest beoks in the world beekaus Ma can make him do anything.

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